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NOW FOR IMPEACHMENT

CONGRESSMAN MURPHY SAYS HE WILL PREFER THE CHARGES.

MADE A PROMISE IN HIS SPEECH TODAY

Missouri Representative Is Aroused and Says He Will Push Charges Against Judges McPherson and Philips.

Washington, May 6.—At the conclusion of a lengthy statement in the house today regarding his resolution of inquiry into the official conduct of Federal Judges McPherson and Philips, of the Western district of Missouri, Representative Murphy announced he would present formal charges of impeachment against both jurists.

Representative Murphy, in speaking of his resolution, called on his colleague, Congressman Rucker, to substantiate his charges. Rucker did so and added that Judge Philips should have been impeached twenty years ago.

Judge Philips Will Make no Statement

Kansas City, Mo., May 6.—"I will make no statement until Representative Murphy formally presents his charges of impeachment," said Judge Philips when shown a Washington dispatch to the effect that charges will be preferred.

Judge McPherson also declined to make a statement.

ENTERTAINED THE D. O. C.

Members of the Organization Had a Delightful Afternoon.

The members of the local chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. John A. Collins, on West Seventh street, Wednesday afternoon, the following being the hostesses: Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Anna Moore, Mrs. J. A. Lamy and Misses Ella Mac Collins and Hazel Hartshorn.

There was a large attendance present and in addition to the papers read as anticipated in Tuesday's Democrat-Sentinel several members of the High School Glee club rendered pleasing vocal selections.

Mrs. F. S. Leach, Mrs W.H. Schnare and Mrs. Fred Hoffman, jr., were appointed a committee to report the chapter's meetings to the local press.

During the entertainment punch was served, and late in the afternoon brick ice cream and cake were served.

DOUBLE FUNERAL HELD

Mrs. L. H. Everhart and Little Girl Buried This Afternoon.

The double funeral of Mrs. L. H. Everhart and her 7-year-old daughter, Virgil, who died Tuesday evening of injuries received from the explosion of a can of coal oil, was held at Mt. Herman church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. R. C. Miller, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, officiating.

The burial was made in Mt. Herman cemetery. Pallbearers were selected from among Mr. Everhart's neighbors.

Willie Everhart, the 4-year-old son, who suffered painful injuries about his legs from the same explosion, is resting very nicely today, and it is thought he will recover.

MAKES GRAVE CHARGES

Physician of Asylum Says Patients Are Inhumanly Treated.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 6.—In resigning his position as assistant physician at the state hospital for the insane here today, Dr. T. E. Graham gave as his reason the fact that the patients of the institution are subjected to gross outrages on the part of the attendants, with the knowledge or Superintendent Kuhn.

Celebrated Little Girl's Birthday.

More than a score of friends of Miss Ruth Fults, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fults, assembled at the Fults residence, on West Fourth street Wednesday afternoon, to celebrate Miss Ruth's ninth birthday anniversary.

Various games were played during the afternoon and toward the close refreshments were served, after which all returned home, having had a delightful time.

The hostess was remembered with several pretty presents.

Sent to Jail for Fifteen Days.

James Cassidy, arrested for disturbing the peace, was given a fifteen days' jail sentence by Judge Rickman today.

To Jail for Trespassing.

Harry Desmond, arrested last night for trespassing on Missouri Pacific trains, was given fifteen days in jail by Judge Clark today.

SHIP'S CREW IN PRISON

NEWS COMES FROM MEN LONG THOUGHT TO HAVE PERISHED.

INCARCERATED IN VENEZUELAN DUNGEON

Strange Story Told by Seaman Who Has Just Returned From South American Country—Interest Excited at Men's Home.

Kingstown, St. Vincent, B. W. I., May 6.—That Captain Colin Stephenson and the crew of the American whaling ship Carrie D. Knowles, long since thought to have been lost at sea, are still alive in a Venezuelan prison, is accredited by an American seaman, who gives the name of Payne, an escaped prisoner from Venezuela, who has made his way to Kingstown.

Payne laid before the authorities an astounding story of the seizure of the Carrie D. Knowles at a Venezuelan port, where she arrived five years ago in distress, and the incarceration by the Venezuleans of the captain and his men. The authorities are convinced of the truth of Payne's story.

On January 27, 1904, the Carrie D. Knowles sailed from Provincetown, Mass., on a whaling voyage. Her captain was Colin Stephenson, and her first mate H. A. Martin. In addition, she carried a crew of about a dozen men. These are the names, as given by Payne to the authorities here, and as far as he could remember the names of the members of the crew: Wallace Warner, Robertson, Hazel, Sam, Davis, Pierre, Grant, Lewis and John. Payne asserts positively that all these men are at present confined in a Venezuelan prison. The vessel was supposed to have been lost in a West Indian storm with all hands.

The story Payne told to the police today caused great excitement, not only because of the seriousness of the charges against the Venezuelan authorities, but because it added another to the many tales which have reached St. Vincent concerning the high handed methods adopted by the Venezuelans under the administration of Castro.

Payne declared that the whaler had been disabled in a storm off the Venezuelan coast and had made port in distress. This was five years ago, but the exact date he could not remember. She was at once seized and the captain and crew were made prisoners and thrown into jail. He states that all the men are alive, but are still closely confined.

Home in Provincetown.

Provincetown, Mass., May 6.— The dispatch from Provincetown, outlining the story told by an escaped Venezuelan prisoner that the crew of the lost Provincetown whaler, Carrie D. Knowles were incarcerated in a prison in Venezuela, was naturally of intense interest here.

The identity of Payne is not clear, but it may be that he is Elisha Payne, a seamon of Provincetown, who mysteriously disappeared from this port previous to or about the time of the sailing of the Knowles.

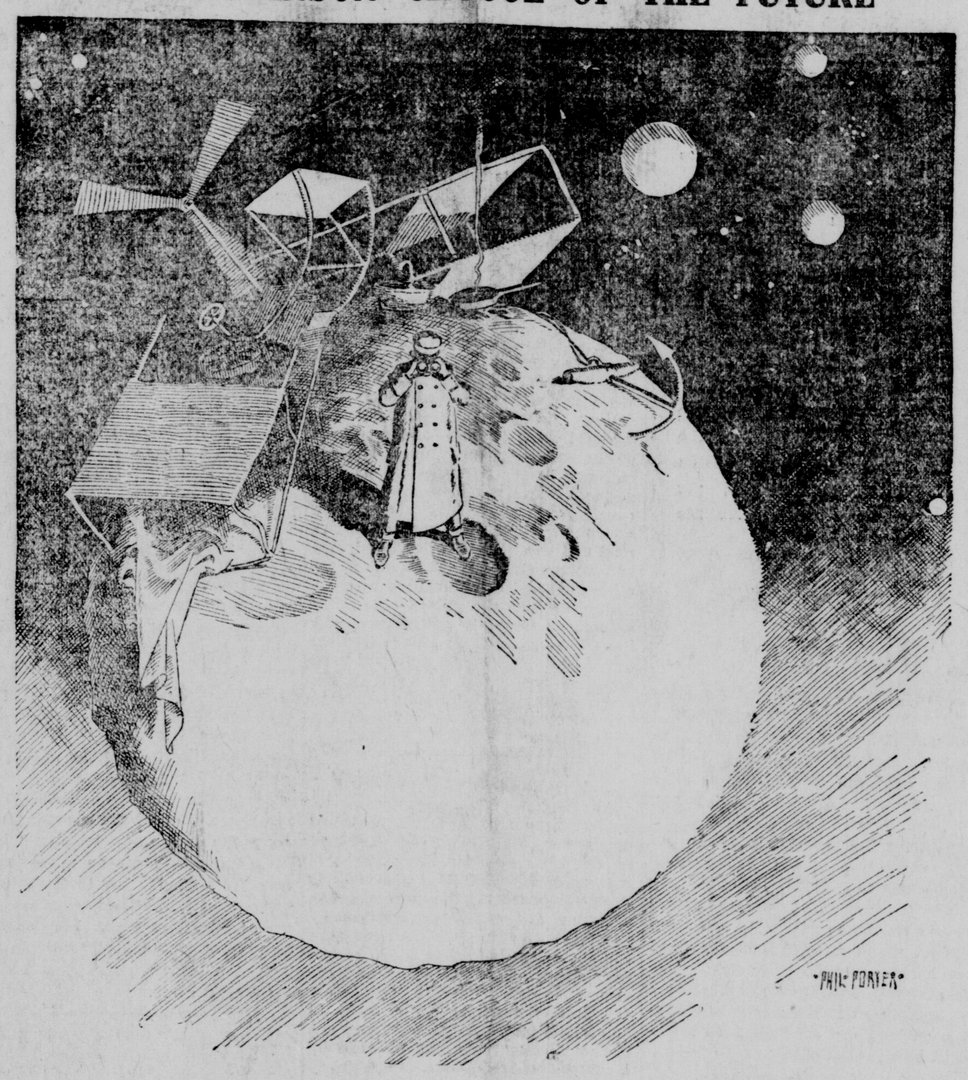
The Carrie D. Knowles left here on January 27, 1904, with the intention of going on a protracted whaling cruise in the Carrieban sea, and later returning north to hunt whales off Hatteras.

Nothing was heard of the Knowles after sailing, and it was supposed she was lost in a heavy storm which swept the Atlantic a short time after her departure.

Case Against Brown Dismissed.

The peace disturbance case of C. A. Brown, a tinner, was dismissed by Judge Leaming today at the recommendation of Prosecuting Attorney Dow.

THE ROBINSON CRUSOE OF THE FUTURE



HIS FUTURE IS BRIGHT

KANSAS CITY YOUNG MAN TO GET $80,000 WHEN HE IS MARRIED.

IS NOW LOOKING FOR HIMSELF A WIFE

Millionaire Uncle in Denver Bequeaths Fortune to Young Chemist Upon Condition Which He Is Anxious to Fulfill.

Kansas City, Mo., May 6.—Paul Garvin, 25 years old and good looking, who lives at the northwest corner of Fourteenth and Oak streets, this city, yesterday received word of an inheritance of $80,000 from a rich uncle in Denver, who has recently died, but to this fortune is attached the string of matrimony. Mr. Garvin, by the conditions of the will, must marry and settle down before the inheritance is handed over to him. No particular girl was named in the will, and now Mr. Garvin is "setting his cap."

"Sure, I am going to marry," said he last night while discussing the condition imposed. "Not that I am going to marry for the money alone, but I am about ready to become 'one of our respected and influential citizens.' There's one drawback, however. I don't know any girl who would have me I am perfectly 'heart whole and fancy free.' Until now I never have had enough money on hand to think of getting married and girls have not attracted me. But I am looking for 'her' now, and I am going to look fast, too."

Mr. Garvin is wholly at sea in regard to his future wife He has never had an ideal.

"I don't want to advertise for a wife. I guess I will have to wait until the grand passion seizes me and then I will know all about it."

Mr. Garvin's uncle was a resident of Denver, having large mining interests. His estate is said to be worth $1,000,000. His name also was Paul Garvin. The will made by Mr. Garvin gives all of his property to his only son, with the exception of the bequest made to his namesake. Should Mr. Garvin die, unmarried, the money is to go towards the establishment of a free health resort in Colorado Springs.

"Uncle Paul was peculiar," said Mr. Garvin. "Every time I saw him he would urge me to get married and quit roving. I am a chemist when there is any desire to work on my part, and he wanted me to take charge of his assaying work for him. But I liked to travel, and so I have been doing. I guess he was afraid to give me this money outright, thinking that I might blow it all in traveling."

Mr. Garvin will main in Kansas City indefinitely.

Fifty Couples Attended Dance.

Fifty couples attended the dance given by the Sedalia Military band at the Sedalia Printing company hall last night. The dance was not concluded until after the midnight hour.

On the night of May 13 the members of Apache tribe No. 55, I. O. R. M., will give a dance at Colonial hall and on the night of May 19 the Sedalia Military band will give another dance at the Sedaila Printing company hall.

ALDRICH WON IN BALLOT

FIRST TEST OF STRENGTH CAME IN THE SENATE YESTERDAY.

STAND-PATTERS GET A SMALL MAJORITY

Ballot Was on the Acceptance of the Old Dingley Rate on Orange Mineral—Ten Republicans Opposed It.

Washington, May 6.—In an unexpected fight for revision downward in the senate yesterday, led by Bristow, of Kansas, the Aldrich organization of stand-patters won by the narrow margin of six votes. The vote was 41 to 35. A change of four votes would have carried the day fo rthe revisionists. The clash was significant, for it was the first test of forces in the senate. The standpat victory was so narrowly won that a reversal in favor of the revisionists on some of the schedules is a possibility unless Aldrich should win over democratic votes.

Curtis, of Kansas, voted with Bristow for revision. Warner, of Missouri, voted with the stand-patters. All the democrats present voted for the reduction and these ten republicans: Bristow and Curtis, of Kansas; Burkett and Brown, of Nebraska; Cummins and Doliver, of Iowa; Crawford, of South Dakota; Johnson, of North Dakota; La Follette, of Wisconsin, and Nelson, of Minnesota. Beveridge, who is counted a revisionist, refused to vote on the ground that he was not familiar with the subject.

The paragraph on which the fight was made was one putting back the duty on orange mineral, a constituent

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FOUGHT GENUINE DUEL

TWO FRENCHMEN SETTLED DIFFERENCE IN OLD-FASHIONED WAY IN NEW JERSEY.

ONE OF THE COMBATANTS WAS KILLED

The Other Escaped With Slight Scalp Wound—Trouble Arose Over Love of Both for Pretty Innkeeper —Survivor Is at Large.

New York, May 6.—With punctilious observance of the code, a duel to the death was fought yesterday between two Frenchmen in the hamlet known as French Hill, eight miles west of Paterson, N. J., in the foothills of the Ramapo mountains.

One of the duelists, Armand Fauchan, died last night in the Paterson General hospital; the other, known in the little community as "M. David," whose name is believed to be Broussard, is a fugitive. He has a severe scalp wound.

Both men were in love with Mme. Marie Parent, whose smiling face has welcomed many an automobilist to the inn she keeps. For a long time there had been bad blood between the rivals, although neither appears to have had reason to believe that Mme. Parent returned his love.

For days they had been telling friends what they would do to each other, but their threats were not taken seriously until yesterday morning, when, with their seconds, they stole away to a sheltered valley on the outskirts of the hamlet.

A little girl is the only witness who is willing to tell what happened, and she was so terrified that she told her story between hysterical sobs. She saw the two men, with two other men, whom she did not know, walk silently past her house. Prompted by curiosity, she followed, and from behind a tree, saw them walk about twenty feet from each other, turn and fire. The sound of the shots so frightened her, she says, that she ran crying to her home, and for hours did not dare tell what she had seen.

Nobody else in the hamlet could be found who would admit knowing anything about the duel. Inquiries were met with shrugs, and even the man who took Fauchan in his buggy to the office of Dr. Warren H. Young, at Little Falls, five miles distant, said all he knew was that he had found Fauchan lying by the roadside. Fauchan was hurried to the Paterson hospital. He died without regaining consciousness. A bullet had penetrated his right lung.

Detective Shane found two revolvers on the ground in the valley to which he was directed by the little girl. He could find no trace of "M. David," and the other Frenchmen in the community seemed more eager to hinder than to help him.

Will Entertain Church Society.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will be entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. George Bichsel at her home, 621 West Fourth street.

Fifteen Days for Trespassing.

Frank Wilson, an itinerant, was given fifteen days in jail by Judge Leaming today for trespassing on Missouri Pacific trains.

NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

LORD DOUGLAS WAS ACCUSED OF KILLING A RANCHMAN RECENTLY.

HE WAS HELD TO HAVE BEEN JUSTIFIED

While the Nobleman Was Away the Man Annoyed His Actress Wife —Slayer Son of Marquis of Queensberry.

Vancouver, B. C., May 6.—Lord Sholto Douglas, son of the late Marquis of Queensbury, was acquitted yesterday of a charge of attempted murder. Last November Lord Sholto returned to his ranch house in Kootenai to find that his wife had been annoyed by a rancher named Rowland, whom he had previously warned away. Rowland was in Lord Sholto's house on his arrival and refused to leave. Lord Sholto fired a load of buckshot into Rowland's neck. He was released on bail. The grand jury brought in a finding of no bill yesterday.

Lord Sholto Douglas married in 1895 Margaret Mooney, better known by her stage name as Loretta Addis, after a brief courtship and in defiance of strong parental objection. The marriage was in San Jose, Cal., and for some time after Loretta supported herself by singing. Her husband's relatives finally induced her to leave the stage and live as befitted her rank in England. Her first child, Bruce Francis Douglas, was born in Vancouver, the mother moving to Canada from California shortly before his birth at the request of the Marquis of Queensbury.

Lord Sholto has lost heavily in South American and American railway securities, but is bearing the losses in a philosophical way.

"I never knew the value of a dollar until I was forced to earn it through my own endeavors," he recently said.

Lord Sholto owned a saloon in Spokane, Wash., for a time. He was employed also as the driver of a brewery wagon in Tacoma, Wash.

PASSED AWAY IN ST. LOUIS

Mrs. McKee, Widow of Former Pastor of First M. E. Church Here.

Mrs. George McKee, widow of a former pastor of the First M. E. church in this city, died from paralysis at the home of her son, George McKee, superintendent of motive power and equipment for the Mobile & Alabama railway at St. Louis last night.

The remains will be brought to Sedalia at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and will be taken directly to Crown Hill cemetery, where the Rev. Grant Robbins, pastor of the First M. E. church, will conduct brief services, after which interment will take place.

Mrs. McKee is well remembered by many Sedalians, her husband having lived in Sedalia for a number of years.

NEW COUNTRY CIRCULATOR

Charles Culp Succeeds to Place of Late Joseph A. Bowers.

Charles Culp, well known throughout Pettis county, has accepted the position of country circulator of the Democrat-Sentinel, taking the place of the late Joseph A. Bowers, and will begin his duties Monday morning.

The Democrat-Sentinel commends Mr. Culp to its subscribers and bespeaks for him the same generous treatment accorded Mr. Bowers for so many years.

MANY YEARS TO REPAY

VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR DEFRAUDED GOVERNMENT VERY EASILY.

RECEIVED PENSION FOR TOTAL BLINDNESS

When in Fact He Could See All Right —For Two Score Years He Reaped Golden Harvest From His Deception.

Alton, Ill., May 6.—If George Washington Taylor, late of this city, were alive and could survive until the year 2007, he could begin drawing a pension of $12 a month as a Union veteran more than 62 years old. But Taylor has been dead two months.

Pension Agent Bent, of Chicago, was not aware of Taylor's death when he wrote a letter addressed to the veteran, received at the Taylor home in East End place, Alton, Wednesday. The pension agent penned this grim joke:

"You are hereby notified that you are granted a pension of $12 a month, under the law pensioning all veterans over 60 years old, but—— (here Bent draws a long dash) on account of your having defrauded the government out of pension money heretofore, no voucher can be issued to you until after the year 2007."

Taylor died as a federal prisoner in the workhouse at Peoria, Ill., five days after he began serving a sentence on conviction of having made a false affidavit to obtain a pension.

For twenty years he had drawn a pension for blindness. The first three years he drew $72 a month. For the remaining seventeen years his monthly voucher was for $100. Taylor made affidavit that he was kicked by an army horse near Ironton, Mo., during the war, while in service as a soldier, and that he was blind as a result of the kick.

It was discovered that he was not blind. Taylor defended himself by saying he was blind at times, but could see at other times.

Justice of the Peace Barnett Nathan, of Alton, who has been looking after Taylor's affairs, figured out Wednesday that the money received from the government on the veteran's affidavit of blindness would require ninety-eight years, or until 2007 A. D., to pay out at $12 a month. Pension Agent Bent evidently figured it out accurately when he informed the dead man that he could begin drawing his $12 a month after the government has reimbursed itself by keeping the payments for the next ninety-eight years.

DEMANDS LOWER DUTIES

Senator Cummins, of Iowa, Says Present Bill Will Not Do.

Washington, May 6.—Predicting that the failure to pass a tariff bill providing for lower duties on imports would provoke a political contest for another revision of the tariff, Senator Cummins, of Iowa, delivered a notable speech in the senate today.

"The bill now before us," said Cummins, "will not be accepted by those who have favored a revision of the tariff as either the fulfillment of party pledges or as a settlement of the controversy."

JAMES BOYLE FOUND GUILTY

Abducted Boy Makes Good Witness Against Prisoner.

Mercer, Pa., May 6.—"Billy" Whitla was on the witness stand today in the trial of James H. Boyle, his alleged abductor. He pointed his finger at the defendant as the latter sat in the prisoner's box and said with a positiveness that could not be doubted, "That is the man who took me away from the school."

Boyle Is Found Guilty.

Mercer, Pa., May 6.—After being out fifteen minutes the jury in the case of James Boyle, charged with kidnaping Willie Whitla, returned a verdict of guilty as charged.

Have Ordered New Safe.

Ormond & Klueber, jewelers, today ordered from the Mosler Safe company a steel lined jeweler's safe, which will be shipped here within sixty days. The safe cost $700.

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Fair tonight and Friday; cooler tonight.

COMING HOME?

Back to Sedalia, the beautiful Queen City, and visit again the scenes of years gone by.

The Home Coming reunion will be held October 2, 3, 4 and 5, during the week of the Missouri state fair.

The semi-centennial of the founding of the city will be celebrated, and a grand welcome will be extended to all who gather to commemorate the event.

There are ex-Sedalians everywhere, but they will all be here again at the Home Coming.

A RECIPE FOR UNHAPPINESS.

A living death is a life without incentive. The man or woman who is purposeless, has no responsibility, is producing nothing, is merely feeding the physical senses, is missing the meaning of existence and forfeiting the real joy of living.

The quickest and surest way of tiring of the world is to concentrate thought on one's self. Those who have nothing to think of but self carry a wearisome burden.

In the news columns daily we read of the disasters that befall purposeless people. Every great city every day has its quota of suicides from this cause. The burden of mere self becomes so heavy men and women take their lives to escape it.

To temporarily free their minds of the stress of irresponsibility others drink themselves into the gutter. There is a deal of wretchedness from this cause.

"The world is full of such a number of things that I am sure we should all be happy as kings," the poet sang, and very truly. For one has only to look about with seeing eyes to find things to do that are worth while doing.

Evasion of responsibility is rank cowardice, and makes for an empty life.

A drama has just been introduced in New York which illustrates the point this editorial intends. It is a remarkably interesting play and it is unusual for a variety of reasons, not the least of which is that it involves no suggestive sex problem, nor contains any lascivious dance.

In the play a rich old man has been thinking exclusively about self. He thinks that he is ill and calls a council of physicians. He secretly overhears their wise talk and when they decide that he must die, he prepares to commit suicide. He is next seen in a tenement in the slums of the city, whither he has gone to hide his identity and blow out his brains. The pistol is at his temple when a ragged girl steps into the room and tells him her troubles. She has some very real troubles. They are troubles of the heart and mind. She has been carrying too much responsibility, but she was strong for her burdens. She is not complaining. The old man begins to feel that his little physical troubles are insignificant compared with the heart and mind worries of his new found friend. He lays the pistol down and presently finds himself engaged in assisting the girl. There is a splendid lot of detail in the play, which, of course, ends with the girl happy and with the old man in excellent spirits and health and with plenty of life business on hand.

If time weighs heavily upon you, get busy. Interest yourself in the struggle of some fellow worse off than you are.

Devise some means of effecting an adequate tariff. Invent a simple, low-priced machine which will take the killing labor off washing clothes from the shoulders of American housewives.

Scheme a plan by which the graft danger may be eliminated from municipal ownership of public utilities.

These are suggestions, and "the world is full of such a number of things" that one need not think long before discovering an agreeable hobby.

Do something and be happy.

NO PROSPECT OF A TARIFF COMMISSION.

Senator Bailey is opposed to transferring the tariff fixing powers of congress to a commission. This is natural. Probably nine-tenths of the members of both the house and senate are of the same frame of mind. No one, of course, has any expectation that congress will at present or in the near future relinquish its taxing perogatives. That would be a concession entirely too destructive of its influence collectively and individually in politics to invite consideration at this time. It would cut off the usefulness of many congressmen in their districts and lessen their importance in Washington because it would largely nullify if not extinguish the effectiveness of the relations between them and the special interests thy represent.

The agitation in favor of a tariff commission has arisen from the incapacity or unwillingness of congress to fix duties fair to both consumer and beneficiary. There is evidence of so much bungling and favoritism every time a revision of the tariff is undertaken that the people have become distrustful and out of this distrust has grown the movement to take the power away and confer it upon a body of distinguished experts. A tariff commission, however, is a long ways off, if indeed it is possible. There is a grave question whether congress could delegate the power to fix customs duties. It is held by able constitutional lawyers that it could not, for the reason that the nation's fundamental law requires that all revenue producing measures shall originate in the house, and also forbids the delegation of legislative functions. A change, establishment or cancellation of a customs duty, it is held, is a legislative act. If it were purely ministerial it might with constitutional propriety be conferred upon a subordinate body. Presumably the solution, in case the difficulty should be encountered, would be to make the commission advisory, its conclusions to be submitted to congress in the form of a recommendation.

The end sought is to take the tariff out of politics. It is obvious that this cannot be done under the present system and the methods of its application. For this reason public opinion, which has lost confidence in congressional treatment of the tariff, has turned to the commission idea in the hope that it offers a remedy. That this sentiment finds little reflection in congress is not to be wondered at, for with the tariff out of politics what would many senators and representatives do for a living? Even an advisory commission is unlikely to meet with favor in Washington, which makes it apparent that the movement for this reform has little chance to succeed.

FROM THE CLOUDS.

A rumor is current in Washington that when the Wright brothers return to this country to finish at Fort Myer their interrupted exposition of what they can do in navigating the air with their aeroplanes, they will further enliven the occasion by demonstrating how it is possible to destroy battleships by dropping explosives upon them from above.

This is a project that will make all the maratime nations sit up and take notice. If ships navigated in the clouds can drop dynamite on ships beneath on the surface of the water, of what use will be the costly dreadnaughts, which the great powers in hot competition are bankrupting themselves to build?

How are fortifications on land or armies on the march to be defended against aerial attack? If the nations are hereafter to do their fighting as an atmospherical stunt the whole art of warfare and benevolent assimilation on land and sea will have to revised and revolutionized.

All the democrats in congress can gain for their party or the country by transactions with such political adepts and tariff monfers as Senators Elkins and Scott, of West Virginia, they can wrap up in a very small parcel. He who sups with a certain personage should have a very long spoon.

A man who worked his way through college and now has a son in the same institution, says that it takes more to keep the boy there a week than it took to keep him a whole term. It's dollars to doughnuts that the boy is not getting as much for the old man's money as the old man did.

Long ago some philosopher wrote, "There are people who can steal, but not hide, and others who can hide, but not steal. The ones who can steal and hide are geniuses of the first water." This would seem to include most of the malefactors of great wealth.

It is claimed that Luther Burbank, the horticultural wizard, of California, has evolved no less than 571 new and distinct varieties of plums. In the entire list, however, there is not one to take the place of the variety so highly prized by the politicians.

Even a German heiress is about to get a divorce from her husband. Bertha Krupp has quarreled with her husband and left him. She might lead him into a Krupp gun and shoot him over here as soon as the settlement has been made.

Anything that can be made to resemble a kidnaping for upwards of three hours is high grade "copy" in most newspaper offices nowadays.

A western paper is offering a prize for the most beautiful hand. Well, how would a royal flush do?

An Illinois legislator wants to regulate the size of women's hats by law. Rather a large contract, eh?

The man who comes straight home from the office is the man who comes home straight.

Fresh Fish

Tomorrow right out of the water. Black bass, crappie, channel cat fish, red snapper, etc. Early orders secure best selections.

GRAPE JUICE

The Richelieu Grape Juice —pure unfermented grape juice—contains no preservative; absolutely pure —pints, 25c; quarts... 50c

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THE ONLY WAY

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But Not Till Then.

In the dim and misty future when the face of things wears another smile, and politics takes up a new line of battle, and education takes on a new hope, and the philosophy of good will and real comfort dwells in the hearts of the people, and selfishness hides in the caves of despair, and people talk of real things, and the seats of the scornful are empty, and courtesy dwells in every household and street car, and business refuses to take an undue advantage, and the taxpayer is considered, and the boss is labeled with the trilobites, and good books are read and new jokes are told, and men and women say good things of one another, and political plunder is a crime, and spitting on the sidewalks is a disgrace, and the ships sail through the Panama canal, and The Hague tribunal ordains arbitration—then we will have peace on earth for a thousand years, and the antipodes will sit down with the celestials in heavenly places, but not till then.—Ohio State Journal.

May Revolutionize Printing.

An Australian has patented an invention by which, he claims, book and newspaper printing will be placed on an entirely new basis. By the use of a large number of keys provision is made for producing the more common syllables and word terminations by the touch of a key, so that one man can write from 50,000 to 60,000 letters in an hour, which is equal to more than 600 printed lines 18 centimeters (centimeter equal to 0.3937 inch) in length. According to present methods not one-tenth of this can be done by a compositor in an hour.

The Soldier's Profession.

To-day war is nothing more than cold-blooded slaughter. Noiseless rifles, long-range machine guns, mines, electric current and aeroplanes reduce the whole matter to a mathematical basis. The effect of such developments may be seen by consulting the roster at West Point. Not that youth fears war, for that can never be said of Americans, but that war is not attractive as a profession.

To the Members of the First Christian Church.

One year ago today Brother A. W. Kokendoffer took charge as pastor of this church and at next Sunday morning services a brief report will be made of our first year's work under his pastorate and we will also give expression of our appreciation of his year's work. A full attendance is urgently requested.—G. W. Barnett, Chairman of the Board.

Ladies' Musical club—first annual musical festival, May 7th. Tickets $1.

WALL PAPER AT McCLELLAN'S.

Health and Profits.

Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale has been suggesting to the life insurance companies that they establish a department of health as a means of prolonging the life of their policy holders and thus of increasing their own profits.

But there is danger in such a proposition. Besides being an unwarranted interference with personal liberty, they might eventually bring about such a condition of health as to remove all that fear of death which constitutes the chief urge of life insurance.

It would be much better if the life insurance companies could invent a portable and well-disciplined disease which the agents could carry around with them but not use until the prospective victim absolutely refused to yield to the ordinary blandishments. The disease should be so constructed that it could readily be withdrawn as soon as the victim capitulated.

Another Job for the Regulators.

"I see where a scientific feller says there's a dark planet goin' to hit the sun an' end the world," says the man on the cracker barrel.

"Huh!" observes the man with his heels on the stove. "I reckon we needn't bother much about that. I spoke to our congressman about it this mornin', an' he'll interduce a bill makin' such acts a vi'lation of interplanny-tary commerce."

In the Woods.

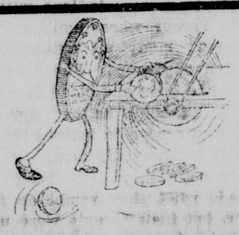
Mother Flea—Where've you been all afternoon?

Young Flea—Up in the woods hunting.

Mother Flea—In which woods?

Young Flea—The woods over there on that dog's back!—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Let Cohen fix that gasoline stove.



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WOULD STEAL GOVERNOR'S SON

California Convict Plotted With a Confederate—Pardon the Ransom.

Oakland, Cal., May 6.—A plot to kidnap the 8-year-old son of Governor Gillett was discovered in San Quentin prison yesterday morning. It was found that J. B. Clifton, a notorious criminal, who is serving time for attempting the life of a detective in Oakland, had planned with a confederate on the outside to steal the boy and hold him for ransom. The price of the boy's return to his father was to have been Clifton's pardon.

Clifton, in his cell, wrote a letter to his confederate in which he outlined the details to kidnap the governor's son, and, after giving instructions in this letter as to how the scheme should be carried out, he tried to form an alliance with some of the other prisoners, so that he could get the letter to his confederate.

Warden Boyle was told of Clifton's plans. He went to Clifton's cell and found the letter. Clifton was locked in a dungeon. Governor Gillett has been notified of the plot.

PASSES "JIM CROW" BILL

Senate Approves of Crittenden Plan No Hope in the House.

Jefferson City, May 6.—Senator Oliver's Jim Crow car bill passed the senate this afternoon with the Crittenden amendment on it to make it apply to street cars. Even Senator Oliver does not think he can get his bill through the house, "but it is a long stride toward getting separate accommodations for negroes in Missouri," said the senator.

Mayor Thomas T. Crittenden, jr., was the author of the amendment to make the bill apply to street cars, the Kansas City mayor proposing to have the Memphis law in force in his city. That law allows negroes the use of all street cars, but compels them to take the first available seat instead of single passengers occupying double seats.

Woods' Liver Medicine is a liver regulator which brings quick relief to sick headache, constipation, billousness and other symptoms of liver disorders. Particularly recommended for jaundice, chills, fever, malaria. The $1 size contains two and one-half times as much as the 50c size. Sold By W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Doings in Circuit Court.

Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman granted three divorces today, as follows:

Aubrey from Rosa Lee Cole; Basil Cole, minor, awarded plaintiff.

Melvin E. from John Henry Wilson, maiden name, Melvin Richards, restored.

George from Addie Esser.

The insurance suit of Anna A. Henley vs. Fraternal Bankers of America was dismissed by plaintiff.

J. J. McRoberts wants your orders for "S" and Vigoral flour.

Mrs. Adamson's Card Party.

Mrs. E. J. Adamson entertained six tables of players at cards Wednesday for Mrs. E. C. George, of Bloomington, Ill., who was remembered with a beautiful guest prize. The following winners were each remembered with a prize: Mrs. A. D. Stanley, Mrs. W. E. Bard, Mrs. N. J. Finney, Mrs. O. M. Barnett, Mrs. Thomas Janisch and Miss Mina Janisch.

Don't drug the stomach or stimulate the heart or kidneys. That's wrong. It is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Vitalize these weak inside controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and see how quickly good health will come to you again. Test and see! Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

New arrivals in new suitings and trouserings at Weisburgh's custom tailor, 213 Ohio street.

Mr. Lamm Is No Better.

J. J. Lamm, Sr., who has been laid up with paralysis at his home, east of town, is no better; in fact, there has been little change in his condition for some time. His wonderful vitality is accountable for his unchanged condition.

A regular scream. You cry because you laugh when you read Miss Minerva and Mr. Green Hill Incidentally. A delightful little love story principally—wholesome, perennial humor. Also the latest book on the market at West's Book Shop. Mr. Opp, by Alice Hegan Rice.

Frank Williams guarantees Big "S" and "Vigoral" flour.

Strayed or Stolen—Bay mare about 14½ hands high, 11 years old; small star in forehead; left with black halter on. Any information please phone Main 1437. Reward.

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Black and Tan Sailor & Oxford Ties
IN ALL THE NEW LASTS.

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Sale of monuments and grave markers. Large stock and latest designs to select from. Prices that will get your order. Across the tracks.—Heynen Monument Works.

Playing in Lamonte.

The Sedalia Brownies' baseball team went to Lamonte this afternoon to cross bats with "Buck" Agee's aggregation of ball players.

F. T. Cain warrants Vigoral or "S" flour the very best.

For best bread use Gold Coin.

"Eternal vigilance is the price of financial safety." —Cleveland.

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New Rink Manager Here.

Mr. S. Waterman, of Kansas City, arrived here this morning to see that the opening tomorrow night of the Coliseum rink, formerly the Colonial, on East Third street, is properly handled, as it is Mr. Waterman's intention to cater only to Sedalia's best people, and as his reputation in operating the largest and best roller skating rink in Kansas City, it is an assured fact that he rink in this city will be run as a rnk should be. He was accompanied by Midge Sherman, champion skater of the world, who will be located here.

WALL PAPER AT GREAT SCOTT'S.

Call for "Little Squaw" Cigars—5c.



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Or you may see something advertised that you intend buying—something you find you can buy for half what you feared you would have to pay.

There are other opportunities, too. Through these Want Ads you can find the cook you have been looking for—the seamstress, the gardner, the chore boy.

Read them carefully. Get in touch with the people who can serve you or whom you can serve. It will pay you well.

"SMILING JOE" IS WELL

FAMOUS CRIPPLE OF NEW YORK IS NOW STRONG AND VIGOROUS.

STRAPPED TO A BOARD FOR ENTIRE YEAR

And Then He Was Put Into Plaster Cast—Treatment and Living Out of Doors Has Completely Remade His Body.

New York, May 6.—Joe Barron is again among his own in Manhattan. He brought back with him from Coney Island sturdy health which the normal boy of 12 enjoys at a natural right. In getting it Joe made himself famous, and he paid for it by turning to the account of those who cared for him a fund of $250,000 to be used in building a place big enough to care for youngsters like himself for whom the best medical skill can do nothing in the city.

Joe is the product of fresh air, good food and one of the best dispositions that ever went into a hospital. His disposition made him known as "Smiling Joe." When the new hospital is built with the money given for his sake the biggest picture in the front hall will be his. That was promised yesterday by the friends from whom he parted.

Joe's early lot was cast among the East side tenements. Only grit and good nature kept him alive there, for he came into the world crippled, and for eight years hobbled about with no one much caring how he fared. Four years ago the Association for Improving the condition of the Poor got hold of him. His spine was crooked, his leg twisted, and the doctors said he had tuberculosis of the bones and glands.

He was taken to the association's sanitarium at Sea Breeze. There they strapped him to a curved plank to straighten him out. They bound him so tightly that he could only wave his arms and turn his head. Then they laid him outdoors where the fresh air could do its work. That was his medicine winter and summer, the attendants giving him extra covering on cold days, but never letting him get out of the fresh air, no matter what the weather.

Joe's sufferings while bound like a papoose to the curved plank were duly certified by the doctors. Otherwise no one would have known, for Joe never whimpered. From all appearances he liked it, as he was always smiling. President Roosevelt saw him at Sea Breeze in 1905 and took much interest in him. Jacob A. Riis, who accompanied the president on that visit, wrote an article about Joe. That started other writers, and his picture strapped to the plank and smiling as if it was all a joke went over the country. It opened the purses of thousands of people for a proper hospital for the treatment of such cases until the total fund reached $250,000.

After a year they unstrapped Joe. His spine and leg bones had become straight, but he could not walk until he grew new muscles. There was fear also that he might not keep straight, and to make sure of that his body was tightly encased in a plaster cast. Fresh air treatment continued without interruption. All day he lived outdoors, playing on the beach as best he might. He slept in a dormitory with large windows thrown wide open.

Joe parted with his plaster cast less than a week ago. The doctors examined his body and pronounced him cured. He had justified all their theories on fresh air treatment for tuberculosis, and there was nothing more for them to do professionally except to recommend his discharge from the hospital. Yesterday was fixed for that event.

In smiling his way through the agonies of the curved plank Joe had won the affections of the attendants. The sunniness of his disposition when he could have playmates won the love of the other little cripples in the hospital. So naturally he was not permitted to go without a celebration. There were fourteen of his companions fit for an outing yesterday.

An automobile, with seats for twenty, called for them at Sea Breeze early in the afternoon. It honked its way up to Brooklyn, and through the traffic of that borough, and drew up at the circus. Joe had never seen a circus before, and it proved a novelty to the others also. They saw it all, liked every minute of it, and when it finished the automobile took the others back to Sea Breeze and Joe came home.

Miss Alice Page Thomson, superintendent of Sea Breeze, chaperoned the circus party. Dr. John Winters Brannan, of Bellevue and allied hospitals; Robert W. Bruere, general agent for the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, and several hospital attendants went along.

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Plenty of It Has Been Done Right Here in Sedalia.

Cures that last are cures that tell. To thoroughly know the virtues of a medicine you must investigate the cures and see if they prove permanent. Doan's Kidney Pills stand this test, and plenty of proof exists right here in Sedalia. People who testified years ago to relief from backache, kidney and urinary disorders, now declare that relief was permanent and the cure perfect. How can any Sedalia sufferer longer doubt the evidence?

Mrs. G. A. Bras, 812 E. Sixth street, Sedalia, Mo., says: "I was afflicted with kidney trouble so severely that I thought I would die. The kidney secretions were irregular, and if I stopped, sharp twinges would dart through the small of my back. I could not sleep well and seemed to have but little strength or energy. I tried many remedies but without good results. Finally I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a box at Bard's drug store. I took them as directed and received prompt relief. steadily improved and at last every symptom was banished. My husband has also used Doan's Kidney Pills with excellent results."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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"Little Squaw" cigars, all dealers, 5c

AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS

Kansas Divorced Couple Make Up Differences and Remarry.

Wichita, Kas., May 6.—After having been divorced for fifteen years and approaching old age, Mrs. Anna Taube and August Taube, of Hutchinson, applied at the office of the probate judge yesterday for a license to enter into the life of matrimony for the second time.

Upon making the application for a permit to try married life the second time Mr. Taube explained to Judge McCanless that he and his fiancee had been married to each other on one other occasion. Married life at the time proved to have been as a trip over a stormy sea and they were divorced. That was fifteen years ago.

After being divorced they separated and each went his own way, but evolution or the trend of time caused them to meet and exchange greetings. As a result of their second meeting each recalled the lonely times that had been experienced during the last fifteen years of divorced life and after a reconciliation they had decided to try their life over as man and wife. Mrs. Taube, the divorced wife and wife to be, accompanied the divorced husband to the office of the judge to secure the license. After securing it they left the court house arm in arm in search of a minister to tie the knot.

Mr. Taube is said to be a wealthy farmer of Reno county. He gave his age as 59 years and Mrs. Taube gave her age as 49.

THE BEST PEACEMAKER

General Frederick Grant Creates Stir in Peace Conference.

Chicago, May 6.—"A good navy and a good army can do more to sustain peace than all the speeches of peace congress delegates."

This sentiment brought to a close last night the annual peace congress which has been in session here for three days. It was uttered by Gen. Frederick Dent Grant, commander of the department of the lakes, and following the arguments for disarmament, created something of a stir.

"I doubt if my son will live long enough to see the gun turned into the plow share, to see the sword beaten into the pruning hook," said Gen. Grant. "I hope that before that time there will not be needed armies for the protection of the people, but up to the time that you do not need armies, I believe it behooves the people of this country to maintain their army and their navy in an efficient condition."

An attempt to declare by resolution that industrial disputes cause wars was overwhelmingly defeated.

Dressmaking!

Am prepared to do all kinds of sewing; garments made in accord with latest styles; first-class work.—Miss Gertrude Gresham, 638 East Fourteenth. Bell phone 991.

This is to certify that James McCabe has sole authority to collect all bills due.—F. G. Bailey & Co., per F. G. Bailey, James McCabe.

Robt. Ramsey's is the place to buy "Vigoral" or "S" flour.

A Trip to Death Valley.

The free moving pictures of Death Valley which will be shown at Wood's opera house for the rest of the week, have created a great deal of talk and interest throughout the country. They are the first views ever taken of this famous valley. The trip is made over the Tonopah & Tidewater railroad, which was built especially to tap the borax mines. The moving picture photographer, by placing his camera on the rear platform of an observation car and swinging the camera from side to side he gives us a full sweep of the desert.

We're experts on wall paper and matters pertaining to interior decorations. It's our business to know the right thing in the right place—your ideas and our suggestions might be the means of getting just what you want, what you need at any rate. We invite you to see the stock. To show you will be a pleasure at West's Book Shop

WANTED—HORSES AND MULES

Don't have to be sound or good workers, but must be fat. At Menefee's barn, West Main, Saturday, May 8.—O. Conrad.

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of Staple and Fancy Groceries.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 7th, 8th and 10th.

Our greater Messerly Grocery Department will in a few days be moved into its new quarters. We are going to celebrate this moving event by giving a rousing three-day Special Grocery Sale, you'll find in our grocery department, Specials after Specials that are not advertised on this list. Bring your market baskets or your street numbers and get your share of these extraordinary offerings.

Fresh shipment None-Such Mince Meat, three packages for 25c

Extra quality 12-oz packages new seeded Raisins, the package 5c

15c trial size bottle of B. & T. pure Olive Oil for 10c

12 boxes best parlor matches, worth 20c; three days only for 10c

2 pounds fresh, crisp soda crackers, plain or salted, for 15c

Best quality Solar Baking Powder, regular 25c size; this sale, the can 15c

1-lb package Bon-Ton cooking soda for 4c

Sal Soda, the pound 3c

Fresh Jell-O, any flavor, three packages for 25c

¼-lb tins, Colman's Bull Head superfine ground Mustard; 20c value, the tin 15c

Kenwood brand, best table syrup put up in 2-gallon buckets, worth $1.00; the bucket 70c

Yucatan or Kiss-Me chewing gum, two packages for 5c

Arbuckle fresh roasted coffee, the package 15c

Fresh Oleomargarine, the pound package 15c

Extra fine quality canned pears, regulation size, the can 10c

Spring catch, solid packed salmon; 20c size, the can 15c

Full line fresh garden and field seed of all kinds.

Best grade California apricots or peaches, packed in thick sugar syrup; regular 25c value. Removal sale price, the can 15c

Bismark quart jars of preserves—peaches, apricots, raspberries, blackberries or fruit or apple butter, worth 30c; this sale, the jar 22c

Pint glass jars fruit butter, 10c value; this sale at 7c

Quart size Michigan full quartered apples, the can 5c

Large size jar best quality Burr cucumber sweet pickles, 75c values; removal sale, the jar 44c

Best grade Jamaica shot peppers, the pound 15c

10c size challenge fresh ball bluing at 5c

Large size fresh California cooking figs, 2 pounds for 15c

5 pounds best quality broken rice for 24c

8 pounds best quality Pearl hominy grit for 25c

Campbell's extra quality fine Tobasco, Chili sauce or tomato ketchup, in this sale at 9c bottle, or 3 for 25c

Full size tumblers fine prepared mustard for 5c

Bismark best grade imported pickled onions, 60c quality; this sale for 49c

Large size California evaporated peaches, two pounds for 15c

Fresh vegetables and fruits received every morning.

OUR BIG 30-DAY CLOTHING SALE IS NOW AT IT'S BEST.

ATTRACTIVE VALUES JUST ADDED TO THIS 30-DAY CLOTHING SALE.

Boys' $1.50 knee pant suits 98c

Boys' $2.00 knee pant suits 1.49

Boys' knee pant 2-piece wool suits, worth $2.25, $2.50, $3.00; choice from lot 1.98

Youths' $3.50 suits 1.98

Young men's $4.50 suits 2.98

Young men's $10.00 suits 6.98

Young men's $7.50 suits 3.98

Young men's suits, worth $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $9.00, choice from lot 4.98

SPECIAL TROUSER SALE

We have added to our special Trouser Sale several new patterns in chic nobby patterns, making this the greatest opportunity for buying an extra pair of trousers at a low price; in the lot you find trousers worth $2.25, $2.50 and $3.00. Your choice the pair 1.98

Two Important Specials in Lace Curtains

One case Nottingham lace curtains, full bleached, 60 inches wide, fine woven overlocked edge, rich floral designs, suitable for one curtain to window; worth $1.25. Special for three days—Friday, Saturday and Monday, the pair 98c

10 dozen extra quality pure white Point de Esprit lace curtains, 56 inches wide; neat, dainty designs in a variety of patterns; woven overlocked edges, worth $2.50. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, the pair 1.98

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Although "Everwears" are guaranteed for six months only, there are many persons who are naturally so easy on sox that they last for one year without the slightest show of wear.

We carry Everwear Hose in the following assortment in each box: Black, Tan, Grey, Grey and Wine, Blue Wine and Green, and black with white feet.

Sold by the Box only—6 pair for 1.50

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ALL MEN ARE GOSSIPS

So Said a Club Woman in an Address in Chicago.

Chicago, May 6.—Man is the original gossip.

Where two men are gathered together you will find gossip—fresh, spicy gossip.

A woman invariably bursts into enconiums at the mention of another woman's name.

Women are afraid to gossip, afraid to criticise and afraid to tell the truth about other women, lest some man cry "cat," though nobody ever has shrieked "dog" at any masculine defamer of his fellow men.

The above is an epitome of an address delivered by Miss Florence Edith Austin, of Woodstock, active in club and social circles, at the May breakfast and reciprocity day of the Social Economics club at Mandel's tea room.

One lone husband sat meekly in a corner of the room, his wife had urged him to attend.

"Gossip began when Adam looked askance at Eve and the serpent," Miss Austin began.

The waitresses set their trays down and stood rapt in ecstacy. The husband shifted uneasily in his seat. The club women applauded enthusiastically.

"It was so unjust," she continued. "Eve was simply dying of ennui, and her desire for social diversion argued no laxity of morals. But Adam—well, he was just a man. Next we have him criticising Eve's gown, a figleaf peek-a boo.

"There have been other scandals and yellower villians than the serpent and more violently jealous husbands, but it was the senseless spasm of jealousy that cast a reproach for ever over woman.

"All that old advice Solomon gave relative to gossip was not addressed to women safe behind harem walls, but to the men of Jerusalem, and from what he had to say, it must have been blab, blab, blab among men, just as it is now."

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RESCUED IN MID-LAKE

Mystery of the Abandoned Lighter Batavia Is Solved.

Chicago, May 6.—The mystery of the lighter Batavia of the Lehigh Valley Transportation company, abandoned in the terrific storm which swept the great lakes last week was cleared today when the steam barge Sharpless of the St. Lawrence route, put into Gary, Ind., and her captain, Thomas J. Carlisle, related the story of the rescue of the Batavia's crew.

The Batavia was being towed to Buffalo by the steamer Wilkesbarre. Caught in the gale last Thursday off Little Travers bay the Wilkesbarre cut the Batavia loose, the latter intending to make port. In the storm the lighter could not proceed, and after a stubborn fight drifted into midlake.

Capt. Arthur W. Apsey, of the Batavia, and a crew of five men were about abandoning hope of saving their lives when their slight craft nearing destruction on Fox island shores, when the barge Sharpless sighted them. Capt. Carlisle, of the Sharpless, came to the rescue. He steamed as close to the lighter as possible and the members of the crew leaped from the lighter to the barge in safety.

The Batavia was abandoned.

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DOGS IN SECRET SERVICE

FOREIGN NATIONS USE THEM FOR PURPOSE OF TRACKING CRIMINALS.

GOVERNMENT INTERESTED IN PROJECT

Bureau of Manufactures Has Issued a Pamphlet Entitled, "Police and Work Dogs in Europe"—Brutes Accomplished.

Washington, May 6.—From the department of commerce and labor, but more particularly from the bureau of manufacturers, there has been issued a little pamphlet entitled, "Police and Work Dogs in Europe." The pamphlet was written by Henry W. Deidrich, consul general in Antwerp, Belgium.

Now, while this pamphlet was issued by the bureau of manufacturers, it was not because these dogs have anything to do with the manufacturing industry in the United States, or because the document will promote the spread of American manufactures abroad, which is the principal duty of the bureau, but the chief of the manufacturers' bureau is Major John M. Carson, a veteran Washington correspondent.

To him all the consular reports go, and he looked over this particular document and saw what it was about, he sniffed a good story, and so he turned it loose for the benefit of those who care to read about man's faithful friend and what this friend is trained to do in Belgium.

Mr. Deidrich's introductory remarks show that the idea of having regular police dogs has developed only recently, beginning about 1896. He makes exception to bloodhounds, used in tracing murderers and criminals. He says that there are in Germany almost 500 police departments that keep dogs for assistants. In France many towns use dogs.

It appears that "as a guide for training serviceable animals for attack, defense and scouting, a recent internation congress in Brussels formulated a schedule of lesson-exercises for such dogs." These lessons include a lot of work that a dog must do in the way of following up a suspected individual; how he must attack him and all that sort of thing.

The colonel says it must be admitted that these accomplishments are rather difficult for a brute to master, yet it appears that several animals, "which came up for civil service examination, won diplomas, after having gone through the lessons with remarkable accuracy and intelligence."

Major Carson sent copies of this pamphlet to all the important police departments in the country, and it is possible that when Major Richard Sylvester, president of the American Police Chiefs' association, next calls that association to order he may bring before it the proposition to enlist dogs in the police service of the various cities of the country.

Why not go further and make detectives of them? Judging from some of the detective work that has been seen in the government service, the dogs would be a decided improvement. At least, it might be almost certain that the dogs would not feel that they had to "make a case" against a man in order to hold their jobs.

It also is possible that when the dogs did not understand a case, when some big business proposition was presented to them which they could not fathom, they would not be like some postoffice inspectors and decide that the business must be destroyed, because they did not have brains to understan the importance of it.

There is another feature in regard to this matter that might well be considered, and if it works out all right, the cost of publishing this pamphlet will be more than repaid to the government. Suppose a lot of sleuths in the government service were set to work training dogs? That would keep them occupied.

They would not have to go up and down the country seeking opportunities to harrass and annoy. This vast army of detectives, which has grown from a few hundred to 3,000 or 4,000 in ten years, could be employed in training dogs and drawing their salaries, rather than in trying to "work up a case" against citizens of the United States.

It is with reluctance that one lets go of this foreign dog proposition. It may be true that it will not find much favor in the cities of the United States, where the police have an idea that they have the detective work down fine, and that a man can take care of criminals as well as a dog.

But that it is possible in the government service is an interesting theory. Of course, if the dogs are likely to supplant the sleuths, away they'll go.

But considered on the more important lines of employing the sleuths and keeping them out of mischief, it is well worth the consideration of those students of government policy who like to introduce reforms and have their names connected with some great and important movement.

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Latest Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

Grain Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade Building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 29 cars; corn, 29 cars; oats, 16 cars.

Wheat market—Unchanged to 1c higher. No. 2, $1.38@1.42; No. 3, $1.35@1.40; No. 2 red, $1.52@1.54; No. 3 red, $1.49@1.51. Futures—May, $1.32; July, $1.09⅝; Sept, $1.00½; Dec., 99⅛c.

Corn market—One-half to 1 cent higher. No. 2 white, 74c; No. 2 yellow, 74c; No. 2 mied, 73½@74c. Futures—May, 73½c; July, 69⅜c; Sept., 65⅜c. Dec., 54¾c.

Oats market—Unchanged to ½ cent higher No. 2 mixed, 53½@54c; No. 2 white, 56@58c.

Live Stock Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Campbell Bros. & Rosson Live Stock Commission Co., stock brokers.

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 5,000; hogs, 14,000.

Cattle market—Ten cents lower. Best corn fed cattle, $6.40@6.70; medium corn fed cattle, $5.90@6.25; grass cattle weighing 1200 and upwards, $6.00@6.70; feeders, heavy, $5.00@5.50; light, $4.75@5.00; stockers, $4.40@5.00; cows, best, $5.00@5.50; medium, $4.00@4.75; heifers, best, $5.85@6.25; medium, $5.00@5.50; stock heifers, $4.00@4.25; stock calves, $4.50@5.25; veal calves, $6.00@7.00.

Hog market—Five to 10c lower. Top, $735; bulk, $6.80@7.20. Choice heavy, over 250 pounds, $7.20@7.35; choice prime, over 200 pounds, $7.00@7.30; choice light, over 100 pounds, $6.25@7.00.

SEDALIA MARKETS.

Lard, per lb	10c to 11c
Geese	8c
Potatoes, per bu	65c to 75c
Butter, per lb	20c to 25c
Eggs, per doz	15c

Cereals and Breadstuffs.

Hard wheat flour, per cwt	$3.40
Soft wheat flour, per cwt	$3.10
Graham flour per cwt	$3.00
Chops, per cwt	$1.50
Bran, per cwt	$1.30
Corn, per bushel	80c
Wheat, per bushel	$1.20

Poultry.

Ducks	5c
Hens	12c
Turkeys	10c
Roosters	3½c

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DON'T FAIL TO SEE BIG BEN.

Ed Carl guarantees "S" and "Vigoral" flour.

Boiled Salad Dressing.

Take two teaspoons sugar, two teaspoons flour, one-half cup cream, one-half teaspoon both mustard and salt, two tablespoons butter and two tablespoons vinegar. Rub flour seasonings and butter together. Add cream and cook in double boiler until hot, then add vinegar slowly. Add eggs slightly beaten and cook until it begins to thicken.

German Spareribs.

Three pounds of spareribs, one pound of bread crumbs, one quart of apples. Put in roasting pan a layer of ribs, sprinkle with salt and pepper, next a layer of sliced apples, then a layer of bread crumbs, repeat it, but let the top layer be ribs. Bake in a moderate oven two hours. Serve baked potatoes with it.

Hungarian Salad.

Use small potatoes, boil and peel them while warm; slice very thin with a sharp knife, and to a pint of potatoes add one small onion minced, one pickled beet, one fresh cucumber sliced, a Dutch herring, four sardines and minced cold-boiled ham.

Mix together and serve on lettuce leaves with French dressing.

Health Food Bread.

Mix together three cups graham flour, two cups entire wheat flour, one-half teaspoonful salt and two teaspoonfuls baking powder. Add a tablespoonful and a half molasses stirred in a pint of cold water. Beat well, then turn in two buttered tins. Bake an hour in a steady oven, covering the first 20 minutes with oiled paper.

To Clean Furniture.

By pouring a little olive oil over a soft linen cloth and gently rubbing over surface of mahogany furniture, the white covering caused by dampness, also all dust, is removed and leaves the furniture clear as a mirror, and saves having it polished.

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ITS CONTEMPT OF COURT

Action of St. Louis Circuit Attorney Is, Says Judge McPherson.

Kansas City, May 6.—Judge McPherson, in a statement from the bench in the United States district court here today indicated that he believed the recent suit brought by Seebert Jones, circuit attorney of St. Louis, enjoining the railroads of Missouri from charging a three-cent fare, had violated the recent injunction order of the federal court. The judge added that, on the other hand, he did not consider any action taken by Attorney General Major up to this time could be considered in contempt of court.

TOUCHES THEIR TENDER SPOT.

Most Men Have Weakness for Being Photographed on Horseback, Says Observant Photographer.

A young man went out with a camera one morning not long ago and took seven snap shots of early morning horseback riders. He sent proofs of the pictures that turned out well to the men who were photographed and every one of the men sent him an order to finish up a few of the pictures.

"Of course they did," said a more experienced amateur photographer when he heard about it. "A man will always buy a picture of himself on a horse—unless he's an unusually poor rider and looks bad on a horse. No matter how modest a man is, you catch him at the one time when you may appeal to his vanity, when he's mounted on a good riding horse."

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UNION STOPS FUNERAL

Refuses to Allow Non-Union Men to Drive Carriages.

Chicago, May 6.—Funeral services for Mrs. Katherine Smith were stopped by John Butler, business agent of the Cab Drivers' union, today at 9:30 o'clock, because, Butler alleged, three drivers weer non-union men.

According to the police, Butler went to the Smith home and ordered the driver of the hearse, a union man, not to take the body away from the house until union men were obtained to drive all of the carriages. Police were summoned and Butler compromised by allowing the funeral to proceed to St. Dominic's church.

The non-union drivers weer sent to their barns and union drivers obtained to drive the carriages.

The funeral then proceeded to the cemetery. Butler was not arrested.

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House you want the dirt out of the whole room. We take it all out. Clean everything. Call us up and we will make estimate on cleaning your house. We guarantee the work. We save you time and lots of worry. Do not break up furniture or tear carpets, but come in, clean everything, put it back in place and you sit and watch us, or entertain your neighbors. Call up both phones 29 or see

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PERSONALS

A good rule—Trade at Scott's.

George Klein made a business visit at Tipton today.

T. T. Duncan made a business trip to Lamonte today.

W. T. Morris made a business visit at Lamontt today.

A. P. Espenschied went to Syracuse today on business.

C. E. Smith made a business trip to Lincoln, Mo., today.

W. F. Hollomon made a busiess trip to Warrensburg today.

David Roberts made a business trip to Warrensburg today.

W. D. Howard made a business visit at Boonville today.

Mrs. H. C. Rayburn has gone to Green Ridge on business.

Rev. B. R. McNamee returned last night from Kansas City.

E. L. Cooter went to Warrensburg this morning on business.

Joseph Steehn went to Cole Camp this morning on business.

Dr. J. A. Powers, of Dresden, is in the city today on business.

S. B. Livingston made a business visit at Pleasant Hill today.

J. H. Bowron left this afternoon for a business visit in Marshall.

Jacob Zunz returned this afternoon from a business visit at Tipton.

Col. James Freeman made a business trip to Pilot Grove today.

Edward Wilson, a lineman, made a business visit California today.

Miss Maud Loefiler left this afternoon for a visit in Kansas City.

Ferd Johnson returned this afternoon from a visit in Kansas City.

C. B. Moore, of St. Louis, is registered at the Antlers hotel today.

C. W. Daugherty will return tonight from a business visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. J. B. White left this morning for a visit with relatives at Warsaw

J. S. Bell, a Kansas City grocery salesman, is a visitor in the city today.

The Rev. D. H. Atwill returned this afternoon from a visit in Kansas City.

J. B. Corrigan made a visit at Otterville today to call on the hardware dealers.

J. H. Meyer made a business visit at points on the south end of the Katy today.

Mrs. J. E. Canaday and child returned this afternoon from a visit at Upper Alton, Ill.

G. H. Trader went home to Cole Camp this morning, after visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Orba Melton returned home to Rockville, Mo., today, after visiting Ira Melton and wife.

Mrs. J. E. Snedeker, of Osawatomie, Kan., arrived last night to visit the family of J. T. Carman.

W. H. Barnett returned on the fast mail train this morning from a business visit in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cassidy and Master William Riley went to Clinton this morning for a day's visit.

The Rev. G. H. Ayers was a passenger to Kansas City this morning, after a business visit in this city.

Mrs. Mattie Wirt, of Dresden, will leave tomorrow morning for an extended visit at Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Mary Ritchel returned home to Tipton this afternoon, after visiting Mrs. L. E. Friemel and family.

George E. Cole, representing the Midland Bridge Co., left this morning for a business visit at Versailles.

Mrs. Robert Ferrell, of Cheyenne Wells, Col., who has been visiting relatives and friends in Sedalia, left for home this afternoon.

Drummond Brown, manager of the Sedalia Brownies, returned last night from a business visit in Kansas City.

A. J. Kelly, who has been in Sedalia, combining business with pleasure, was a passenger to Kansas City today.

Neil McGinley and daughter, Mrs. Phillip Seifner, both of Spring Fork, were visiting friends in the city today.

Misses Georgia and Frankie Rayburn have returned from visiting relatives at Green Ridge and Camp Branch.

D. D. Hayward, manager of the Economy Steam eating Co., went to Kansas City on the fast mail train this morning.

Mrs. Lee Groth and children went to St. Louis this afternoon for a three weeks' visit, while the Groth residence is undergoing repairs.

Miss Katie McGinley, who has been here on account of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Katherine Meyers, returned to her home in Kansas City today.

Mrs. J. C. Van Riper and daughter, Miss Leah, former residents of this city, arrived from their home in St. Louis this morning to visit Hon. and Mrs. John T. Heard.

Mrs. J. Leslie Wittenmeyer, of Kansas City, arrived this afternoon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shields. Mr. Wittenmeyer will arrive Saturday to spend the Sabbath.

Mrs. N. C. Smith, wife of a Missouri Pacific conductor, and daughter, Dorothy, accompanied by Mrs. James J. Neely, went to Kansas City this morning to visit the family of J. C. Brown.

E. B. Burrowes returned today from St. Louis, where he visited Mrs. Burrowes, who is undergoing treatment for a general breakdown of the nervous system. Mrs. Burrowes has fully recovered from the illness, and the attending physician stated that the cure was permanent. Fearing a backset, it was deemed inadvisable to bring the patient home at present, the trip being postponed until some time in June.

Carpets, Rugs and Draperies! McKenzie's, 114 East Fifth.

Entertained at Cards Yesterday.

Misses Virginia and Abbie Dempsey entertained the "500" club at their home, 601 West Seventh street, Wednesday afternoon. There were seven tabls of players and a number of invited guests.

Mrs. Will Lee won the first prize, a pair of silk hose, and Mrs. Lawrence Laupheimer the second prize, a deck of cards. The guest prize, a hat pin, went to Miss Bess Estill. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, strawberries and mints were served.

Read This.

Sedalia, Mo. This certifies I have sold Halls Texas Wonder for kidney bladder and rheumatic trouble for years. I recommend it to be the best kidney medicine I have ever sold. Sixty days treatment for $1.—Dan Wilcox.

RESTFUL TO EYES AND NERVES.

Green Is One of Nature's Cures for Worry and Fatigue.

"If the whole of London were painted green it would have a wonderful effect upon the health and spirits f us Londoners," said one of the leading specialists to a Mirror writer. "Eyesight and health are most closely connected, and among town dwellers eyesight is steadily deteriorating. Green is one of nature's cures for worry and fatigue. Watch a man who is worrying or tired out and see how often he will wander to a window from which he can gaze on a tree in leaf. Instinctively his eyes seek the restful green of the foliage. A great deal of the good obtained from a visit to the country is from the incessant environment of the green fields and green leaves.

"A green room, too, is a splendid thing. I know of a case of a popular actress who could never understand why it was that in a certain room in her house she could always rest so much better than in any other one. She mentioned the fact to me one day, and I pointed out to her that the paper and furniture were entirely green."

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Repairng Damaged Property.

Contractor Anderson and a force of carpenters today began the work of repairing the Bichsel property, on West Fourth street, occupied by Lee Groth and family, which was recently damaged by fre.

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ALDRICH WON IN BALLOT

(Continued from Page 1.)

of lead paint, to the Dingley rate. The house had reduced it from three and three-eighths cents a pound to two and seven-eighths cents. About a million pounds a year is imported.

It was expected that there would be set speeches yesterday, but the senate decided unexpectedly to get down to business and pass on particular paragraphs of the bill. None of the revisionist republicans were prepared on the chemical schedule which was under discussion, but when orange mineral was reached Bristow, of Kansas got into the game on general principals. He wanted to know why the senate had revised upward on this particular schedule. The farmer, he that the duties on lead ore was to be this substance, and he didn't see why the cost of the farmer's paint should be increased.

Aldrich explained that the change was merely to equalize the duties on lead products, which had been lowered by the house on the supposition that the duties on ead ore was to be reduced. That duty had been restored to the Dingey rate, and he supposed the ways an means committee hadn't had time to restore the duties on the others.

"I would like a more conclusive reason for raising the duty than that it was to be restored to the Dingley rate," Burkett, of Nebraska, interposed. "There is nothing sacred to me or to the country about the Dingley rates."

Bristow persisted that the cost of an article of common household use ought not to be increased.

"I wish the senator would tell me," Penrose, of Pennsyvania, interposed, "how much difference in the cost of painting a barn this increase would make."

"I will answer the senator," Bristow retorted, "if he will tell me what proportion of this duty is needed to cover the higher labor cost of American production."

"I have all the facts on my desk," Penrose replied, "but the senator may continue his speech while I look the matter up."

Aldrich insisted again that the increase was necessary for a proper adjustment of duties, if the duty on lead ore was to be retained at the Dingley rate. Bristow replied that there were several senators who would vote against the retention of the Dingley duty on ore.

"We might as well have a test vote now," Aldrich said, and Bristow called for the yeas and nays. Beveridge begged that the matter might go over until the senate should have the opportunity to inform itself on the merits of the case, but Aldrich, who evidently felt sure of the vote, said he would insist on the years and nays.

Several members who are accounted revisionists on other schedules voted with Aldrich, so the control of the organization is seriously menaced. The senate closed its session in the midst of a debate on white lead, used in paint. Senator Guggenheim, of Colorado, a member of the smelter trust family, appealed for protection on this product,as essential for the industry. Another test vote will probably be taken on this schedule.

Sick headache, constipation and biliousness are relieved by King's Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

WHITE RIBBON FLOUR, FULL WEIGHT.

Driving Horse Ran Away.

E. G. Cassidy's driving mare, standing in the vicinity of Ohio avenue and the railroad crossing, took fright this morning and ran away. It ran a distance of four blocks before being stopped, but no damage resulted.

ANOTHER LION

So reports come daily. Hunting is only a pastime. If you are looking for Bargains and call upon James Story's Real Estate office, your hunt is ended You cannot get such values elsewhere as I am offering now.

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Do you want to rent a large house close in for boarding or rooming?

Do you want to buy a rooming-house.

Do you want a hotel?

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Do you want suburban or property suited for "truck raising," all kinds of fruit and a 7-room house?

See about it. To make an exchange is only a pastime. Bring your offerings.

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Special Showing Friday and Saturday

The fabrics of the hour, for garments and separate shirts..... **25c to 50c yd**

Linen finished suitings, for coat suits & skirts, 36 in. wide..... **10c to 20c yd**

All linen suitings in medium, light and extra weight ..... **35c to 1.25 yd**

90-inch linen sheetings for coat suits and children's dresses.. ..... **85c to 1.25 yd**

A special value, 72 inches wide ..... **1.00 yd**

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Special values in "White Wear" from all departments, including—

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THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE

Chief Boullt Gone Fishing.

Chief of Police W. H. Boullt left this morning for Gasconade, Mo., to join a fishing party and will return tomorrow night. In his absence Fred Robertson, assistant chief, will act as chief.

SIMPLE WASH CUPES ECZEMA

Why Salves Fail While a Simple Liquid Accomplished Thousands of Cures.

It is now thoroughly established among the best medical authorities that eczema is purely a skin disease, due to a germ, and curable only through the skin. It is not a blood disease at all; in fact, thousands of people suffer with skin disease and are perfectly healthy otherwise, and thereby prove they have no diseased blood.

Smeary salves cannot reach the germs because they do not penetrate the skin. The only way to reach the germs is by means of a penetrating liquid.

Such a liquid can be obtained by simply mixing ordinary oil of wintergreen with thymol, glycerine and other healing agents. This compound, known as D. D. D. Prescription, stops the itch instantly—and the cures all appear to be permanent. In fact, it took thousands of cures, case after case, before the best scientific authorities were convinced of the absolute merit of this remedy; D. D. D. Prescription kills the germs in the itching skin. Its effect is seen within one minute after the first application. We especially recommend D. D. D. Soap in connection with the treatment.

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WILD DOGS HUNT IN PACKS.

Outlaws in North Carolina Will Attack People and Cattle—Cannot Be Exterminated.

For 30 years there have been wild dogs in a great tract of woods known as the Grimes lands, west of Raleigh, part of which recently bought by the state embraces 1,300 acres. These dogs 20 years ago attacked a herd of milk cattle and the latter had to be killed, some of the dogs having rabies.

From time to time the wild dogs have been shot, but they cannot be exterminated. On two occasions they have attacked people passing through the woods and had to be beaten off. On the last day of February, which marked the close of the hunting season, with a number of boys I was rabbit hunting in these woods. A rabbit was jumped and made a wide sweep in his run.

Most of us stood on the watch for him to "return to his bed," as the darkies say, and presently the music of the dogs bringing him back was heard in the distance. The rabbit was seen coming down a hill where the trees stood rather wide apart, and suddenly two very large dogs, mottled in color and looking remarkably like hyenas, dashed at him and rabbit and dogs went over.

At this instant a colored man came up with his gun and rushed at the dogs, which fled, leaving the rabbit kicking but bearing on the rump the deep marks of the dogs' fangs. The dogs had appeared like ghosts and they disappeared in the same manner. It was a remarkable incident. When the pack arrived the owner was holding up the rabbit. The dogs appeared to take no notice of the tracks of the wild dogs.—Raleigh Correspondent Forest and Stream.

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Anonymous Letters.

The anonymous letter-writer seems to be one of the inevitable waste products of an age of discussion.

In a day when the public schools make almost universal the knowledge of reading and writing, when yellow journalism supplies the vitriolic phrase and the United States mail carries any respectably covered missive, then does the cowardly soul find rare sport in flicking judges, editors, legislators and other public men with irresponsible taunts. The president of the United States gets a basketful of anonymous letters daily. Judges who are trying cases that bulk large in the public eye find themselves the targets for dire warnings and filthy abuse. The evil is probably more widespread than the public appreciates.

There is no absolute remedy, though the post office inspectors sometimes succeed in catching offenders and effecting their punishment. The sheer cowardice of the practice makes for its increasing discredit, and this is probably the only cure.—Chicago Post.

Not Much Public Land Left.

Of the public land, some 375,000,000 acres, or one-sixth of the original territory, remain—but nearly every acre is too arid for settlement on the original plan. Of state land the amount is limited, save swamp and overflow tracts that can hardly be settled by individual effort.

Over 75,000,000 acres of wet lands might be reclaimed to form homes for 10,000,000 people, while 40,000,000 or 50,000,000 acres of arid lands might be irrigated to sustain as many more, but this cannot be done by individual or family pioneering, and must be done, if at all, either at collective cost in the public interest or by corporate enterprise for personal interest. No longer is Uncle Sam "rich enough to give us all a farm;" his princely possession of a century past, is already given.—American Review of Reviews.

Boys Will Be Boys

and are always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns or scalds. Don't neglect such things—they may result serious if you do. Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment according to directions right away and it will relieve the pain and heal the trouble. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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SPECIAL BELT SALE.

Ladies' belts worth 25c for 10c and 15c each, while this lot lasts at Cain's Cash Store, 112-114 West Main street.

ARMENIANS EATING GRASS

Not a Man Left in Town of Harni—Women Are Starving.

Marash, May 6.—A letter received by messenger from Harni, an Armenian town, says that every man there has been killed. Only women, girls and boys under 10 years of age have been left alive. The churches and houses were plundered and most of them were burned.

The letter, which is from the widow of a clergyman, says:

"We have nothing to eat or wear. We are living on grass like animals. Worse than this, the Moslems are trying to force the women and girls to become Mohammedans. Already some of the women have been carried away."

Beirut, Asiatic Turkey, May 6.—The situation at Saudia and Deurtyul again is critical. Trouble is brewing, and further anti-Caristian outbreaks are feared. Five hundred Turkish troops have been dispatched to those two points. In addition the British battleship Triumph, with the British consul on board, left here this morning for Deurtyul.

Hadjin, May 6.—Hadjin is facing a terrible famine. There is neither money nor food in the city. The orphans that have been cared for by the American missionaries are crying for even a small piece of bread, and the missionaries are anxious that their benevolent friends be notified of the situation here.

CHICAGO ART IS SUPERIOR

New York Gets Little Solace From the Views of Women Critics.

New York, May 6.—In addressing the conference on city planning and municipal art, Mrs. Alice Bradford Wiles declared yesterday that Chicago art excels that of New York. After speaking of the many attractions of Chicago, Mrs. Wiles said that, in her opinion, the City of Mexico was the cleanest municipality extant.

Where Chicago surpasses New York, she said, is in its one comprehensive plan for beautification, the result of the Columbian exposition, and its unsurpassed playgrounds and small parks.

THE REAL CAUSE.

The Ancient Scalp-Fever Theory Exploded.

At one time dandruff was attributed to the result of a feverish condition of the scalp, which threw off the dried cuticle in scales

Professor Unna, Hamburg, Germany, noted authority on skin diseases, explodes this theory and says that dandruff is a germ disease.

This germ is really responsible for the dandruff and for so many bald heads. It can be cured if it is about in the right way. The right way, of course, and the only way, is to kill the germ.

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$15 women's tailored suits 7.95
$25 women's tailored suits, 14.75
$5 women's wash suits .. $3.47
$7.50 handsome wash suits 4.97
$8 beautiful wash suits.. $5.98
$8 lingerie Princess dresses 5.98
$5 handsome trimmed dresses $2.87
49c lawn combing jackets, 25c
75c dainty fitted sacques.. 49c
75c tailored shirt waists... 44c
$4 beautiful waists..... $2.39
$1.25 duck wash skirts.... 79c
$3 wash skirts, all colors, $1.97
$9 panama and voile skirts, 5.87
$5 silk petticoats $3.69
$7.50 silk petticoats $4.44
75c gingham petticoats.... 49c
$8 striped covert coats... $4.97
$3 misses coats $1.97
15c children's muslin drawers 7½c
25c women's muslin drawers 17½c
50c muslin petticoats..... 39c
$5 embroidered petticoats, $3.65
$3.50 embroidered gowns, $2.69
$3.50 trimmed gowns.... $2.69
Women's bleached gauze vests 5c
75c hair puffs, all shades.. 47c
$3 human hair switches.. $1.98
12½c children's stockings, 7½c
12½c men's half hose.... 7½c
20c ox blood hose 15c
35c gauze lisle ox blood... 25c
10c huck towels 6c
20c mercerized white goods, 14c
20c Francais Plisse crepes, 14c
75c foulard silks, 24-in.... 47c
$1.50 cream striped serge, 97c
Up to 15c new laces..... 5c
75c embroidery flouncings.. 59c
$1.00 silk gloves, all colors, 59c
75c silk gloves 49c
15c 36-in linen suitings... 9½c
50c mercerized linen suiting 39c
15c all silk ribbons 9½c
75c pure table linen 55c
50c mercerized table linen, 37c
10c glass check toweling, 7½c
6½c Union toweling..... 3½c
$1.50 fringe bed spread.... 97c
$3.50 colored fringe spread, 2.98
$1.50 nottingham lace curtains 97c
$3.50 two-toned curtains.. $2.69
35c opaque window shades, 25c
75c 42-inch waist nets.... 49c
$1.50 tucked nets (white or ecru) 98c
35c mercerized poplins (all colors) 25c
$3.00 women's new oxfords $1.87
$4.00 women's oxford or pumps $2.98
$1.50 and $2.00 sample shoes 87c
25c men's fancy ties 17c
50c men's dress shirts.... 33c
50c children's rompers.... 39c
$1.50 new suit cases 98c
$3.50 leather suit cases.. $2.87
$7.50 solid leather suit cases $4.75

Chasnoffs

NEWEST USE FOR NAIL FILE.

Guest at Philadelphia Dinner at First Caused Great Consternation by His Action.

A Philadelphia doctor has discovered a brand new use for a nail file which is likely to become much more prominent than the old use. A short time ago this doctor was a guest at a dinner in one of Philadelphia's most exclusive houses. When the last course had been served and the cigars were being passed the doctor reached down into his trousers and extracted a penknife. Slowly he opened a blade. Everybody gasped. Could it be that Dr. —— would so far forget himself as to manicure his nails at the table? All watched with bated breath. Slowly the doctor reached out and secured a match which was near his place. Then he deliberately struck his match on the rough part of the nail file and lit his cigar. The suspense was over and the doctor had not committed the frightful breach of etiquette which his associates had feared. Now the custom is spreading fast, for it is less effort than it is to stand on one leg to strike the match on one's shoe, and decidedly more elegant than the time-honored method of striking it on one's trousers.

Gehlken & Milburn sells both "S" and "Vigoral" flour.

RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

ELECTRIC LINES FOR ALL MISSOURI ARE PROMISED IN NEAR FUTURE.

COACH CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources For the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

Chillicothe, Mo., May 6.—Within less than two years Missouri is to have a system of electric lines rivaling those of Indiana and Illinois and owned by the same persons who have built the systems in these two states, according to information received in Chillicothe from Jefferson City today.

Representatives of the officers of the Illinois and Indiana systems are now in Jefferson City with propositions to the department of public highways which are understood to include not only the building of a state system of electric lines, but cross-state macadamized roads as it is understood that they will ask the legislature for a franchise to use twenty feet alongside the roads which their lines will travel, on the condition that they macadamize the road, which will give the state a north and south road.

As now planned the grades will be laid on a line running from Joplin to Springfield, then straight north of Sedalia, where it will intersect a line from St. Louis through Jefferson City to Kansas City. From Sedalia the road will run on north to the Missouri river which will be crossed at Carrollton, then to Chillicothe, Trenton and Cainsville, connecting at the latter point with the Burlington railroad.

Another line will tap the coal fields at Kirksville, Novinger and Stahl, running in a bee line from these through Chillicothe to Kansas City.

Chillicothe has been selected as the radiating point and location of the power plant for the territory north of the Missouri river.

Will Divide Mileage More Evenly.

In order to more evenly divide the mileage of passenger brakemen, the M., K. & T. officials today put into effect a new system, whereby seven passenger brakemen who have been running between Sedalia and St. Louis and return, and to Parsons and return, will in future run between St. Louis and Parsons, Kas.

The seven men affected by the change are: W. H. Denver, F. F. Mead, M. A. Ferguson, R. E. Ferguson, John Isenberg, L. K. Avery and H. B. Wright.

The order becomes effective today. The new regime goes as follows:

Leave St. Louis on train No. 5 for Parsons; back to Sedalia on No. 2 next day; lay over in Sedalia twenty-four hours, then to St. Louis on No. 4 that night.

New Rule Regarding Layoff.

E. M. Dennis, trainmaster for the Missouri Pacific, issued a bulletin today stating that in future trainmen who desire laying off must first secure permission from the trainmaster, his clerk or the chief dispatcher and no other. In addition, trainmen must state how long they anticipate laying off and must report for work twelve hours previous to the time they expect to resume their run.

Going to O. R. C. Convention.

C. E. Whitney, general chairman of the O. R. C. grievance committee on the M., K. & T. system; C. R. Campbell, a conductor, and wife; Lee Mudd, another conductor, and wife, and J. B. Middleton, also a conductor, and wife, will leave tonight for Albany, N. Y., to attend the annual convention of the Order of Railway Conductors.

Automatic Couplers.

Harry Spillers, an M., K. & T. brakeman, reported for workto today.

Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, is at Parsons, Kan., today on business.

Arthur Lister, a Missouri Pacific engineer, returned this afternoon from Jefferson City.

O. R. Unger, signal foreman for the Missouri Pacific, made a business trip to Pleasant Hill today.

Frank Raymond, a Missouri Pacific engineer, left this afternoon for a business visit at Oakley, Kan.

W. M. Anderson, a Missouri Pacific brakeman on trains Nos. 95 and 96, is laying off on account of illness.

C. W. Krumm, of the store department of the Missouri Pacific, was a passenger to Independence this morning.

Superintendent A. E. Boughner, of the Katy, returned to Franklin Junction today, after visiting his family here.

N. P. Kemp, of the Missouri Pacific secret service department, made a business visit on the west end of the road today.

D. Stoffel, assistant claim agent for the M., K. & T., was a passenger on Missouri Pacific train No. 37 at 7:15 o'clock this morning.

"Jack" Milnes, a former Katy brakeman, now living at Moberly, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned home this morning.

E. Remington, of Denison, Texas, general chairman of the grievance committee of the B. of R. T. on the M., K. & T., is in Sedalia on business.

Walter Mann, chairman of the grievance committee of the B. of R. T. on the Missoui Pacific, passed through here this afternoon, en route to Kansas City.

J. W. Petheran, of Dallas, Texas, chief engineer of the Katy in Texas, in special car No. 26, arrived in Sedalia last night to undergo treatment at the company hospital.

Ike Dey, a Katy engineer from the eastern division, is temporarily running out of this city, in the absence of C. R. Campbell, who will attend the O. R. C. convention at Albany, N. Y.

R. H. Oglesby, a member of the state board of railroad and warehouse commissioner, passed through here this afternoon, from Warrensburg to Jefferson City, on business with Henry Andrae, circuit clerk.

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SMOKE GOLDEN ROD CIGARS.

SENATOR'S BANKER PAID

Private Detective Says He Saw Money Given to Wisconsin Legislators.

Madison, Wis., May 6.—Frank T. Wagner, a private detective, told to the senatorial investigating committee yesterday afternoon that he saw money handed to Thomas F. Ramsey, a state assemblyman, and two other assemblymen in the Plankinton house in Milwaukee the second Saturday before March 4, the day that Senator Isaac Stephenson was re-elected United States senator by the Wisconsin legislature. The money, Wagner said, was brought to the Plankinton house in Milwaukee by Mr. Puelicher.

The exchange was seen by Wagner through a transom of an adjoining room, according to his testimony, the money handled being in two packages. Mr. Puelicher, who acted as Senator Stephenson's banker in Milwaukee in the senatorial campaign, is now in Europe for the benefit of his health.

Thomas F. Ramsey refuted the testimony of Wagner before the senatorial investigating committee last night. "I have not been in the Plankinton house since the day before the general election last November," said the assemblyman.

Is Hostess to Adagio Club.

Miss Eula Harris, Sixth street and Harrison avenue, is hostess to three tables of players of the Adagio club at "500" at her home this afternoon. A club prize, a pair of silk hose, and a substitute prize, a deck of cards, will be awarded the winners. Refreshments of fruit salad, olives, potato chips, Saratoga crackers and orange ice will be served.

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THE LODGES

K. of P. No. 52 Notice.



Queen City lodge No. 52, Knights of Pythias, meets tonight at No. 210 Ohio street, third floor, over Mertz's drug store, at 7:30 o'clock, for regular business. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

J. B. RICKMAN, C. C.
W. L. BRUMMET, K. of R. & S.

Attention, Sir Knights.



St. Omer Commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, will meet in special conclave Thursday evening, May 6, at 7:30, for work in the Order of the Temple. You are earnestly requested to be present. Visiting Sir Knights fraternally invited.

E. A. SISSON, E. C.
J. W. MALLERY, Recorder.

Masonic Notice.



Sedalia lodge No 236, A. F. & A. M., will meet in regular communication Friday evening, May 7, at 8 o'clock. All Master Masons are cordially invited to attend.

J. R. DALBY, W. M.
E. E. CODDING, Secretary.

Promptly Adjusted.

One of the recent wind storms smashed a large plate glass in the residence of A. D. Stanley. Ed J. Evans was carrying tornado insurance in the Northwestern National Insurance Co. for Mr. Stanley, and within two days after receiving a claim for damages, he paid the bill in full.

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is a pretty hard thing to accomplish when you're blue, bilious and out of sorts. There is a sure cure for all kinds of stomach and liver complaints—constipation and dyspepsia. Ballard's Herbine is mild, yet absolutely effective in all cases. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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PATTEN HAS RETURNED

OUT FROM THE WEST HAS COME THE FAMOUS WHEAT MANIPULATOR.

HE DIRECTS THINGS FROM HIS HOME

He Arrived Secretly From Colorado and the Market Shot Up, but the Speculator Is Still in Deep Water.

Chicago, May 6.—James A. Patten has come back "out of the west," and has resumed his position as wheat speculator. True, his arrival was not announced with a blare of trumpets or a megaphone quartette, nor has he made any public appearance since he reached here. He remains in his Evanston residence, where every precaution has been taken to keep his presence a secret from the inquiring public. He reached Evanston last Monday and has not been at his office, but it developed today he is directing his campaign from his house, which he has had connected with his office by special telephone wire.

Servants and members of the Patten family have been instructed to keep his presence an absolute secret. He has not been seen by any Evanstonians, having confined his out door exercise, it is said, to nocturnal walks along unfrequented streets and around his own grounds. Even after a reporter of the Tribune learned positively that Mr. Patten is here he called up the house and a woman's voice answered.

"Is Mr. Patten there?" asked the reporter.

"No," replied the voice.

"Is he in the city?" persisted the reporter.

"I do not know," answered the voice.

"Has he returned from the west?" asked the reporter.

"I have not seen him," replied the voice.

The receiver was then hung up at the other end.

From excellent sources, however, it has been learned that Mr. Patten was peevish about the publicity given his corner before he left the city. His presence was absolutely necessary here and he came back. There is a bit of corroborative evidence that he has returned in the announcement that his brother and First Lieutenant Henry J. Patten are about to leave for his country place in Kentucky, where he and Mrs. Patten will entertain a house party.

Wheat has been soaring since "Jim" Patten's return. May wheat made a new record during the day, going to $1.29½, a quarter of a point higher than the previous high record, on April 16, and July wheat has climbed back to $1.17¼ since April 27, when it struck the bottom mark of $1.05. However, that option has not yet reached the highest point in its career, which was $1.18⅞, on the same day that May went to $1.25¼. Nor did the market retain its advance yesterday, May closing where it was Tuesday night, $1.28, and July closed one-quarter to three-eighths cents lower than the previous close.

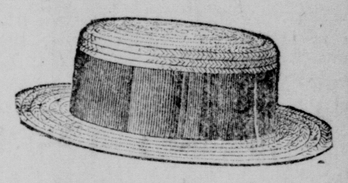
Patten's house has been a heavy buyer of July wheat since Monday. Once in a while they feel the market out and try to sell a little wheat, but so far every time their brokers have been detected selling wheat the rest of the crowd shies away and the market has a sharp break. So far as can be learned, there is little trading by the public, which was badly stung by the 13-cent break which followed Patten's sudden flight to Colorado and have not recuperated either their finance or their courage enough to get back into the market.

Patten's position is practically the same as that in which Joseph Leiter found himself at the time when he was running his famous though unsuccessful corner. He was obliged to carry his operations over into July in order to hold the price of that option up and to give him a chance to merchandise the cash wheat which he is now taking in on May contracts. This wheat is said to have cost him an average of $1.10, and he already has had delivered him 2,150,000 bushels, and the sellers have until the last day of the month to make their deliveries in.

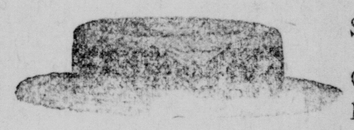
It was learned today that two boat loads of wheat, containing about one million bushels, were cleared from Duluth to Chicago, destined to be dumped into the Patten hoppers. Although it is believed he will have to take in between eight million and ten million bushels, with the present narrow market, it would be impossible to market any considerable part of it in a hurry without causing a big slump, according to the cash grain handlers. Therefore, in order to hold the price up, Mr. Patte nfinds himself in the position of having to support the market by heavy purchases of July options, in the meantime keeping his cash wheat locked up, so as to create an apparent shortage.

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AMERICAN PEERESS DEAD

The End Came Suddenly to the Countess of Orford.

London, May 6.—The Countess of Orford, nee Corbin, died yesterday with tragic suddenness in her home, Wolton park, Norwich. She had been ill for several days, but the indisposition was so slight that she had arranged to go motoring in the afternoon.

Shortly before 5 o'clock she went to her room to dress and the car was driven to the house door in readiness. Without any warning Lady Orford collapsed in her room. Her maid summoned her daughter, Lady Dorothy Walpole, who came just in time to see her mother pass away. Lord Orford was in London. It is not yet known whether an inquest will be necessary or not.

The countess was Miss Louise Melissa Corbin, a daughter of D. C. Corbin of New York, brother of the late Austin Corbin. She was married to Horace Walpole, fifth Earl of Orford, in 1888. It was while on a visit to Paris that Miss Corbin met and married her husband, who was then Robert Horace Walpole, heir presumptive to his uncle's earldom of Orford. Six years after marriage Walpole succeeded to the earldom and raised the American girl to the rank of countess, a position which she adorned by her talents, amiability, tact and beauty. The Countess of Orford has two children, a daughter and a son, Horatio Corbin Walpole, the future Earl of Orford. The earl and countess frequently visited this country.

Mrs. F. L. Leach Is Entertaining.

Mrs. F. L. Leach, 415 West Seventh street, is entertaining a few friends of a club informally at her home this afternoon.

Geo. M. Pemberton wants your orders for "S" and "Vigoral" flour.

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Initiated a Candidate.

Queen City hive No. 7, L. O. T. M., the banner hive of the state, met in regular session Wednesday afternoon and initiated Mrs. Gertrude Williams, of East Broadway. Arrangements were made for an entertainment in the near future.

FELL FROM AN AEROPLANE

Italian Officer, Pupil of Wright, Fainted in Midair.

Rome, May 6.—Lieutenant Calderara, of the Italian navy, a pupil of Wilbur Wright, while flying in a Wright aeroplane here today, became ill, fainted and fell from the craft to the ground, a distance of forty feet. He was picked up unconscious. The machine also fell and was badly damaged.

Lecture Tonight by Mrs. Abbott.

Mrs. Abbott, of Springfield, Mo., will lecture at the M. E. church, South, tonight at 8 o'clock. The lecture will be free and every one is cordially invited to attend.

Ladies' Musical club—first annual musical festival, May 7th. Tickets $1.

R. L. Sweringen wants your order for "S" and Vigoral flour.

Catholic League Held Meeting.

The Young Mne's Catholic league of Sacred Heart church held a regular meeting Wednesday night at the school hall, on West Third street, but only routine busines was transacted.

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SALOON THOUGHT NO. 138.

From August, 1907, to August, 1908, the township trustees paid for the support of the poor of East Liverpool, O., a city of 20,000, $1,041.44; Wellsville, O., also without saloons, a city of 11,000, paid $354; while Steubenville, O., a city of 17,000, with saloons galore, spent $8,765.42, and during July and August the treasury was so depleted that citizens had to subscribe $2,000 in addition to help the starving and clothe them.

The amount spent for the poor in the two places, Steubenville and East Liverpool, are in the ratio of $10.76 to $1.00.

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ADDED THE TAX RIDER

SENATE PASSED SUBMISSION RESOLUTION WITH PROVISO YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

THE HOUSE WILL PROBABLY NOT CONFER

Only Hope for Prohibition Will Then Be In Taking Advantage of the New Initiative Referendum Law—Require Names.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 6.—By a vote of 23 to 8, with two members not voting, the senate late yesterday afternoon passed the prohibition amendment resolution after incorporating a tax rider doubling the levy for state purposes and striking out the Conran provision for prohibition January 1, 1913.

By this action it dug the grave of prohibition, as far as the legislature is concerned. The house will not concur in the amendments, a conference committee will be named, and there the matter will rest when adjournment sine die comes, about May 15.

Contrary to the desire of the senate, the gallery was crowded, but there was no demonstration, as experienced in the house.

Speaker Speer said that the house calendar is crowded with important bills, and that if he had a voice in the matter prohibition would have to wait in the house for concurrence until they are passed or out of the way.

The house voted down by a big majority the proposition to attach a tax rider, so there is no possibility of that body concurring in the amendment. The outright prohibitionists in the house, like Killion, say the tax rider must come off, but they are not so particular about the Conran provision for prohibition in 1913.

The proposition now stands this way: The house will stand pat upon outright submission without a tax rider. The senate will stand pat on prohibition with a tax rider. Neither will yield, it is believed, and the matter will be no nearer adjustment when adjournment comes, house and senate leaders say, than now.

The temperance folk declare that they will submit prohibition through the initiative. But that will require over 55,000 signatures of bona fide voters, not the signatures of women and children, such as can be found by the thousands on the petitions filed with the legislature.

Then, there is a serious doubt in the minds of the lawyers as to the constitutionality of the initiative and referendum. Senator Methudy says the initiative prescribes among other things a method of amending the constitution without repealing the old section which it seeks to displace. Another weak point is that it fixes a maximum number of signatures necessary to submit a proposition to the voters of the state, but no minimum. Under the provisions of the amendment it is argued twelve signatures from each of twelve congressional districts of the state, would be sufficient to compel the secretary of state to call an election. This manifestly is not the intention of the law, Methudy says.

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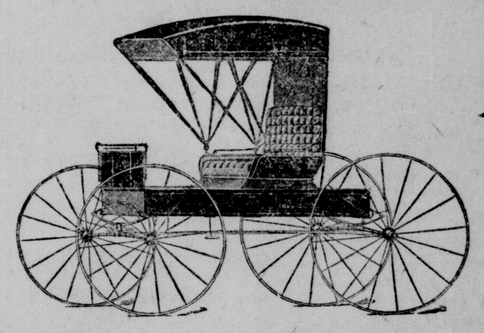
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BURGLARS WERE BOLD

They Robbed a House and Then Returned and Left Note.

Philadelphia, May 6.—Displaying an effrontery that has amazed the police and detectives who are working on the case, the burglars who last night made an effort to rob the home of Mrs. Mary Robbins, of 3229 North Thirteenth street, returned this morning and left a note on the doorstep which read: "We came near getting you, but were interrupted. We haven't forgotten you, however, and will be back again."

Mrs. Robbins lives with two daughters, Gertrude, 54 years old, and Laura, 38. Shortly before midnight the sisters, who were retiring, heard a noise at the door. They crept downstairs and saw two men in the act of "jimmying" it open.

They screamed—everything that a woman could be expected to scream under the circumstances—and the would-be burglars fled. They dodged into an alley near by, pursued by several men who were on the street in the neighborhood, and finally turned into Hilton street.

Here they ran afoul of a policeman, and spurted to reach Germantown avenue. Near the corner they met young Wolf and his brother Herbert. The younger boy, it is declared, took a flying tackle at the larger fleeing man, and, catching him, downed him as neatly as though it were on the gridiron.

They struggled for a moment and then the burglar managed to reach his hip and fired one shot.

Otto Wolf, an 18-year-old boy, of 4424 North Sixteenth street, who was in the crowd chasing the men, dropped to the ground wounded in the right leg. The young man was taken to the Samaritan hospital, where the physicians say his condition is not serious.

The police searched for the fugitive all night without success.

When Mrs. Robbins came downstairs this morning to take in the morning paper and the milk she found the note stuck under the door mat.

Later in the day the neighborhood was given another sensation when a reporter seeking information concerning the affair rang the Robbins door bell.

One of the sisters, thinking she recognized in the young fellow one of her visitors of the night before, screamed and held onto his coat. A policeman was summoned and the reporter was taken to the station where, after some difficulty he succeeded in establishing his identity.

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MEMORIAL DAY JUNE 6

Woodmen of World Will Honor Deceased Members Then.

Sedalia camp No. 16, Woodmen of the World, at Tuesday night's meeting set Sunday, June 6 as the date for the annual unveiling of the monuments of deceased members of the order and extended an invitation to the members of Queen City Grove No. 1, Woodmen circle, to participate in the ceremonies.

The Woodmen of the World have five monuments to unveil and the circle has two.

A committee will be appointed at the next meeting to perfect minor details for the event.

Perry Calhoun was initiated into the order at last night's meeting.

Brother to His Relief.

Assistant Chief of Police Fred Robertson today receive da telegram from E. G. Barrow, of Willisville, Ill., requesting that F. J. Barrow, who was found in a demented condition Tuesday night, be held until his arrival here. E. G. Barrow is a brother of the man in confinement.

Fined $50 for Abandoning Wife.

John King, who was placed on trial before a jury in Judge Rickman's court late Wednesday for wife abandonment, was found guilty of the offense and was fined $50 and sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

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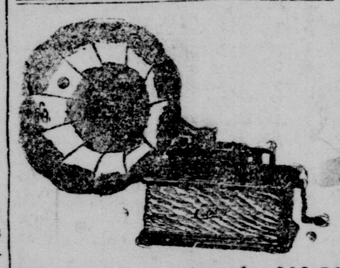
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KILLED THE HUSBAND

Detroiter Seeing Reconciliation With Wife, Meets Death from Lover.

Detroit, Mich., May 6.—Michael Burkhart was arraigned today to answer the charge of shooting to death Robert Barrows when the latter accosted Burkhart and Mrs Barrows entering the old Buhl homestead in Lafayetee boulevard last night. Barrows died today. This is the second killing as the result of marital troubles in Detroit within a week.

Barrows' wife left him three weeks ago. The husband recently sent her a letter seeking a reconciliation, in which he said:

"I heard you were with Burkhart. I felt like shooting some one. I did start out one night with the intention of doing you and the other one harm, but I have come to myself now and I am bearing my part like an Indian. It hurt me at first, but I don't care so much now. For God's sake try to respect yourself a little bit for the sake of the two children you have left behind."

Is Now With Mackey Shoe Co.

Clarence Watson, of Bevier, Mo., a nephew of W. P. Harp, the well known meat salesman, has accepted a position with the Mackey Shoe company in this city.

CONTRACTS NOT BINDING

Anti-Nuptial Agreements Have No Legal Force or Effect.

St. Louis, May 6.—Ante-nuptial contracts between Catholics and non-Catholics, which provides for the future religious training and control of the children of the contracting parties, are not legally binding, according to a decision rendered by Judge Matt G. Reynolds in the circuit court here yesterday.

This decision refers to cases in which either the husband or wife, being of opposite religious faiths, has agreed before marriage not to interfere with the religious training or education of the children as stipulated by one or the other.

The decision was given in the case of B. R. Brewer, who sought to enforce the provisions of an ante-nuptial contract of this nature entered into between his daughter, now dead, and her husband, Wade Cary, of 4130 St. Louis avenue. Wade is a non-Catholic, and had agreed to allow the children to be brought up in the Catholic faith. Mrs. Cary was survived by three children.

Judge Reynolds held that the contract was binding only morally, not legally, and dismissed the suit.

Have Joined the Elks.

W. S. Rhoades, Dell A. Shields and Edwin W. Scott were initiated into Sedalia lodge No. 125, B. P. O. Elks, at last night's meeting.

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THREATENED WITH DEATH

Ohio Millionaire Is Told to Give Black Hand $1,000.

Newark, Ohio, May 6—Harry Swisher, of this city, millionaire cigar manufacturer, whose home on fashionable Hudson avenue is said to be the handsomest in the city, has been threatened with death and the destruction of his home by dynamite unless he complies with the demands of Black Handers and deposits $1,000 in a tie pile in the Baltimore & Ohio railway yards.

Mr. Swisher has received two letters, the first demanding that he place the money in the spot designated. He did so, and, with two officers secreted nearby, awaited developments. Two automobiles passing along the road evidently frightened the blackmailers and the package was not disturbed. Later another letter was received, stating that they (the blackmailers) would stand for no further trifling, and that if the package was not left in the ties soon Swisher and his property would be "blown to Hell." The letter concluded: "Revenge is sweet. Fail and you are as good as dead. Come alone and you will not be harmed."

The letters are well written and correctly spelled. They have been turned over to the postal authorities for investigation.

The home is being closely guarded. Mrs. Swisher returned home Saturday from an extended visit at Saranac Lake, N. Y., where she had been for the benefit of her health.

The Swisher brothers are cigar manufacturers on a large scale and have factories in this city, Ironton and Portsmouth, employing 2,000 persons.

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SOLVED IN A DREAM

Sleep Thoughts Lead to Confession of Double Slayer.

New York, May 6.—Murder mysteries are solved while she dreams by Mrs. Susan Dellinger, of York, Pa., whose apparently clairvoyant detective abilities are set forth in the forthcoming Journal of Psychical Research, of which Prof. James H. Hyslop is the editor. He has had the case under investigation for a year or so, and the account is attested by leading citizens of the Keystone state.

William E. Hoover and Curvin Hoover were found dead in a little church yard. Three youths from 18 to 20 years of age were charged with the murders. All of the prisoners carried revolvers and the father of the Hoovers testified that William had a weapon of the same calibre as the others but it could not be found.

Mrs. Dellinger, so the story goes, dreamed two nights after the crime that she had seen one of the alleged slayers, Henry Snyder, pick up a revolver and throw it over the cemetery fence, where it fell by the side of a grave on which she read the epitaph of Curtis Sipe. Mrs. Dellinger believed that she went to get the revolver, but was chased away from the spot by a man whom she had not before seen. Several times in her visions she saw the revolver gleaming in the grass near the Sipe headstone.

Her son found the revolver in the place described.

Snyder subsequently confessed to the Chief of police that he had shot both the Hoovers, following a dispute about a bottle of whisky.

Various testimony is added, conflicting in some respects, but all showing that the vision of Mrs. Dellinger has been proved to be in the main correct, as was evidenced by the confession of Snyder.

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PREACHER SHY ON ALIMONY

And Must Answer an Attachment Filed by His Wife.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 6.—Rev. Chas. T. Russell, head of the Watch Tower Tract society, of Brooklyn, formerly of Allegheny, must answer an attachment in the common pleas court which was asked for by Maria F. Russell, his wife, to whom the court had ordered him to pay $40 per month alimony.

Pastor Russell is alleged to have transferred his interest in the tract society to other persons to avoid paying his wife, who, in her suit, claimed that she had aided her husband to make the money.

Judge McFarlane, in issuing the attachment said: "To refuse an attachment would allow any respondent to put his property in the hands of a friend, who is amenable to his will, and then defy the power of the court."

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is soon turned to a sad one if he has to walk the floor every night with a crying baby. McGee's Baby Elixir will make the child well—soothe its nerves, induce healthy, normal slumber. Best for disordered bowels and sour stomach—all teething babies need it. Pleasant to take, sure, and safe; contains no harmful drugs. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 509 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

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Spaghetti Salad.

After boiling two pounds of spaghetti for half an hour add a dressing of quarter pound butter, two tablespoons olive oil, one onion chopped fine, quarter pound sausage meat, let brown, add pint of tomato juice, salt, pepper, spices, celery salt, and small amount of garlic if desired. Let simmer for three-quarters of an hour. Strain spaghetti from boiling water, put on a large dish, sprinkle half pound of grated American cheese, then add the dressing. Serve hot with salad.

Creamed Chops.

Take one pound of pork chops, pound thin, season with salt and pepper, roll in flour, two well beaten eggs and cracker crumbs; fry in lard and butter gold brown, when done remove from pan and stir one tablespoon of flour in drippings, add one cup of sweet milk and the juice of one lemon; season and boil about three minutes, pour over chops and serve in five minutes. Exceedingly good.

Wine Soup.

One cup white wine, one cup water, sugar to taste, a small stick of cinnamon. Let this come to a boil, then thicken with about one and one-half teaspoonfuls of cornstarch. Before serving beat up the yolk of an egg and mix with the soup. Do not let it boil after the egg is in. Serve with lady fingers. This is good for convalescents.

Cabbage Stew.

Now that new cabbages are in the market try this: Chop one-quarter of a cabbage, boil until tender in salted water, then strain. Take one quart of milk. To this add cabbage, two tablespoons butter, salt and pepper to taste and let the whole come slowly to a boil. Serve with crackers like oyster stew. It is delicious.

Baked Liver.

Buy calf's liver in a whole piece. Wash and place in a baking pan. Make four slits across the top with a sharp knife, and place a fat piece of bacon in each. Sprinkle well with fine cracker crumbs. Salt and pepper and add a little water. Bake for two hours, basting often, and add more water as it boils away.

Butter Pie Tins.

When making pies, if the pans are greased with a little butter it will make the bottom crust brown and flaky, and thus prevent the crust from being soft, which is so often the case with custard and pumpkin pies, and also makes it easy to remove from tin.

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Somewhat Too Literal.

Although Mr. Jones was taken at his face value by his son and heir, there were times when the youthful William's admiring tributes embarrassed his parent in the family group.

"I had quite an encounter as I came home to-night," the valorous Mr. Jones announced at the tea table. "Two men, slightly intoxicated, were having a quarrel on the corner. As usual, there was no policeman in sight, and they were in a fair way to knock each other's brains out when I stepped between and separated them."

"Weren't you afraid, father?" asked Mrs. Jones, in a quavering voice.

"No, indeed. Why should I be?" inquired Mr. Jones, inflating his chest.

"I guess there isn't anybody could knock any brains out of my father!" said Willie, proudly.—Judge's Library.

Mary's Wedding.

A Maryland man recently married off his fourth daughter, the ceremonies touching whose wedding were given much attention by the "society editors" of the country papers in that region.

A week or two after the wedding a friend who had been north for some time met the father, to whom he made some jocular references in regard to the recent "event." "I see by one paper," said he, "that Mary's wedding 'well nigh beggared description.'"

"Well," said the old man, "I don't know about that, but I do know it well nigh beggared me!"—Lippincott's

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Dr. Carlisle Taylor, the dentist, who has been with Dr. E. C. Frank for the past two years, is now located in his new office, 412 South Ohio street, immediately over the Democrat-Sentinel office, and is prepared to receive his patients and friends.

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Funeral This Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Melissa Lloyd was held at the home of deceased's daughter, Mrs. D. A. Rochford, 913 South Vermont avenue, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

HE'S "BWANNA TWUMBO" NOW

Chiefs of Natives in Party Give Our "Teddy" a New Cognomen.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 6.—"Bwanna Twumbo" is the name under which Theodore Roosevelt is known by the African natives, and Bwanna Twumbo he will be dubbed to the end of his days here.

In accordance with custom, his name was placed on the "mighty hunter" list by chiefs of the party accompanying him.

It means "portly master," and is a term of endearment. Col. Roosevelt is the idol of the natives, who refer to him with superstitious awe, as his continued mastery with the rifle is shown.

The colonel's ambition now is to get a couple of giraffes, but none has been sighted. The party is working southward toward the feeding ground and hopes soon to be among the tall necks. Owing to the rapidity with which giraffes move, it is a difficult task to locate them.

To Street Car Patrons.

On and after this date the East Sedalia and East Sixth street cars will run around by way of Thirteenth and Ohio, for a few days, or until further notice; and the West Third street cars will meet all other cars and transfer. This is on account of the Third street paving work.—Sedalia Light and Traction Co.

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"Our little town is booming," said Subbubs proudly; "down in our business section I heard a couple of traveling salesmen talking about it very enthusiastically."

"Yes," said Citiman. "What line were they in?"

"Well—er—one was selling drugs and the other funeral supplies."—Catholic Standard and Times.

No Show.

"Well, I suppose you heard the news?"

"What news?"

"That I have married Miss Uglamugge."

"You'll never get a Carnegie hero medal for that; those medals are for bravery, not for foolishness."—Houston Post.

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Ladies' Musical club—first annual musical festival, May 7th. Tickets $1.

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Closing of Camp Branch School.

Miss Julia Sullivan closed a successful eight months' term of school at the Camp Branch school last Friday, April 30, quite a number of the patrons and friends of the school being present.

The morning was spent in class recitations, and at noon a sumptuous dinner was served by the ladies of the neighborhood, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

During the afternoon there was a ciphering and spelling bee, many of those present taking part, which rendered the evening more enjoyable.

The day's program was closed by recitations and music.

Miss Sullivan is to be congratulated upon the success she has won in conducting the school, and her many friends trust that when the Camp Branch school bell again sends forth its notes of welcome on the air, that she will again be at the helm to guide the ship aright.

Mr. Poultryman!

Are you one of the many who can hatch chicks but cannot raise them? More chicks die from Bowel Complaint and Cholera than all other diseases combined, and yet these diseases can be prevented and cured by the proper use of

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For Sale—Saddle pony, perfectly sound and city broke. Allan Scruton, 724 West Third street.

For Sale—Two good National cash registers; one large and one small. Address "Register," care this office.

For Sale—The old East Sedalia Baptist church building, Fifth and Summit streets, cheap and on easy terms. Apply at Chas. Hoffman & Bro.'s grocery store.

For Sale—White Plymouth Rock eggs for setting; good stock; $1 for 15; also one vigorous cockerel; will make fine show bird, $3. Allan Scruton, 724 West Third street.

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Eight registered high grade Aberdeen-Angus bulls.—William Raiffeisen, three miles west of Green Ridge, on the old Tomlin farm.

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LONGWOOD ITEMS.

Longwood, Mo., May 6.

Dick Curry was trading in town today.

J. S. Jenkins was in town Monday on business.

C. E. Hurt, wife and little daughter, of Houstonia, were visiting at Longwood Saturday and Sunday.

R. N. Lower was in town after seed corn yesterday.

Marvin Barnhill and wife, of Marshall, attended church here Sunday.

C. C. Orear has been in Kansas City several days on business.

J. M. Wilson was in town yesterday, shopping.

Less Sowash was transacting business in town today.

E. D. Orear, who is feeding quite a lot of hogs and cattle, will ship a load of hogs next week that are fine and will average over 300 pounds.

George Walk was in town today on business.

George Anderson of east of Longwood was in town today, getting his corn planter repaired.

R. B. Jenkins and wife attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Taylor visited her mother and sister near High Point today.

Rev. Welburn, of Lamonte, held quarterly meeting here Saturday and Sunday for Presiding Elder Warren, of the Lexington district, and all liked him. Come again, Brother Welburn.

Everyone in this section is pleased over the prospect of getting what is known as the Gentry lane graded and macadamized.

Alex Orear, who has been visiting and keeping store for his brother, C. C. Orear, went fishing today.

Henry and Allie Kuykendall went to Sedalia today with hogs.

Roy E. Taylor and wife, of near Houstonia, are visiting and getting seed corn here today.

Pains of women, head pains or any pains, stopped in twenty minutes, sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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"Yes. Jinx was snubbed by Miss Skads at the ball the other night, and he wrote her the day following that he thought her 'intentionally rude.'"

"That was hardly good cause for a whipping."

"No-o; but, you see, Jinx writes rather a sprawly hand, and she read it 'intentionally nude.'"—Houston Post.

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HELP WANTED—Male

Wanted—Experienced dish washer at 528 East Third.

Car carpenters and car repairers wanted; experienced men only; full time and bonus added; apply with references. Ottawa, Kas., car works, Ottawa, Kas.

Wanted—A 16-year-old boy to work in truck garden, handle team; must be honest and good worker; no other need apply. North of Crown Hill cemetery.

HELP WANTED—Female

Wanted—White girl for general housework. Apply 606 South Osage.

Wanted—Experienced dining room girl., Elmo hotel, 501 East Third.

Wanted—Middle aged woman as housekeeper; small family. Apply Menefee's, 400 West Second.

Wanted—White girl for housework. Good wages for good girl; no washing or ironing. Apply 711 W. Broadway.

FOUND

Found—An open-face watch. Owner can have property by identifying same and paying for this advertisement.

TAKEN UP

Taken Up—Dark brown mare, blind in left eye. Owner can have property by identifying same and paying for keeping and this advertisement. Apply Fourteenth and Marshall ave.

DRESDEN ITEMS

Dresden, Mo., May 6.

Earle Wade, of Kansas City, spent Sunday with his parents, J. R. Wade and wife.

Dr. Ferguson and family, of Green Ridge, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

W. H. Settles left Tuesday evening for a short visit in Oklahoma.

George Wilson left Tuesday evening for Colorado, where he will spend the summer.

Miss Ethel Higginbotham left Monday evening for a month's visit in Galveston and Houston, Texas.

Everett Taylor, of St. Louis, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Cora Kemp left Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Claycomb, at Lawton, Okla.

Johnson Brothers shipped two cars of cattle and one car of hogs to the St. Louis market Tuesday.

Attorney W. D. O'Bannon, of Sedalia, was transacting business here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mat Doffing, Mrs. P. L. Wensell and Mrs. W. H. Settles were visiting in Sedalia Wednesday.

C. P. Taylor and family left Wednesday for Tulsa, Okla., where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Taylor is an old citizen of Lamonte, having lived there for forty years, and we are sorry to see him and his family leave, but our loss will be Tulsa's gain and we wish them well in their new home.

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Wanted—By couple, nicely furnished south room, close in. Address "South," care this office.

Wanted—To haul trash, ashes and cinders; vaults cleaned. Cohen's, Bell phone 1900. Home phone 1000.

Wanted—Stock to pasture; plenty of grass and water. Frank R. Field, R. 7, one mile south of new shops.

Wanted—By May 15, four or five room modern cottage, preferably west of Ohio. Address Cottage, this office.

Wanted—Old books, magazines and papers for benefit of East Sedalia Baptist church. Call 148 and we'll call.

Wanted—Clothes to press, dry clean and repair. The Owl Tailoring Co., 116 West Third. Bell phone 361. Home Phone 435.

Mrs. H. F. Prentice, an experienced music teacher, desires a few more pupils to complete a class. References furnished; terms reasonable. 516 E. Fifth street.

Notice—The city of Wichita, Kas., is greatly in need of mechanics in all lines, and especially need 200 good carpenters and planing mill men. Energetic men with families preferred, to come and locate permanently. S. G. Bond, 219 E. Waterman, Wichita, Kas.

LOST

Lost—Diamond stick pin, flower shaped. Return to this office. Reward.

INSISTED ON SHAVING HIMSELF.

Patron of City Shop Who Wanted to Be His Own Barber.

Two barbers were disengaged when the customer came in. Both got their chairs ready, but the newcomer dodged them.

"I need a shave all right," he said to the proprietor, "but I want to shave myself. Can you accommodate me here?"

"Certainly," said the proprietor, "but I'll charge you the same as if one of my men shaved you."

"That's all right," said the man. "I'm not kicking about the price. All I want is a chance to do my own barbering."

A tonsorial outfit was speedily produced and the self-sufficient individual went to work, and apparently he knew his own business.

"Isn't that a new wrinkle?" asked another man, who had been an interested observer of the proceedings, and who had been through the barber's hands.

"Not at all," returned the proprietor. "Every once in awhile we run up against a fellow who prefers to shave himself, but hasn't the apparatus handy. We keep a lot of razors in stock for the accommodation of just such independent customers."

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DRINKS GALLON A WEEK

St. Louis Man Aged 100 Still Drinks His Liquor Regularly.

St. Louis, Mo., May 6.—The happiest man in St. Louis, because he never worries and always gets what he wants, is Simon Bildstein, who celebrated his one hundredth birthday yesterday. Herr Bildstein has a philosophy of life and conduct calculated to shock the prohibitionist and the anti-tobacconist into shivering fits. Bildstein denies himself nothing, and unto him nothing is denied. He drinks, he smokes, he chews.

Long, long ago Herr Bildstein's capacity for red liquor became so great that all the whisky he cares to drink now has no intoxicating effect.

Bildstein's regular consumption of whisky, according to his statement and that of the family with whom he lives is one gallon a week.

Herr Bildstein just eats anything he wants. No dietary discipline controls his appetite. He eats meats and vegetables—any sort, all sorts, and thrives.

New Photograph Studio.

Our new photograph studio is equipped especially for high grade work. See us for copying, enlarging and commercial work. We do picture framing. "When quality counts we get the order."—Thomas & Potter, Photo Studio, 111 Ohio street.

VALDA ITEMS.

Valda, Mo., May 5.

Miss Dollie Arnold, of Sedalia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maud Arnold, this week.

Mrs. Frank Elliott and daughters were shopping in Sedalia yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Meyers and daughter, Miss Ida, were shopping in Sedalia Tuesday.

Mr. Elliott McVey and mother and Mrs. Frank Garmen were passengers out to Valda Sunday morning to visit Merle Elliott, who has been sick all spring.

W. I. Higgins, the painter, was a passenger out on the Flyer Sunday morning and on Monday began painting the residence of J. A. Elliott.

Herb Elliott and J. C. Martin were talking business in Sedalia Saturday.

Mrs. Mollie Warren and Miss Amandalee Stephens were passengers out from Sedalia Sunday morning and with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elliott took dinner with Mr and Mrs. Stephens.

A. M. Boyd and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Charley Wingate and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cramer were transacting business in the Queen City Tuesday.

Quarterly meeting will be held at New Bethel next Saturday and Sunday. The presiding elder, Rev. Warren, will be present. Every one invited to attend.

The cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made is Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. It is fine in flavor, and is made in just one minute. No tedious twenty or thirty minutes' boiling. Made from pure parched grains, malt, nuts, etc. Sold by J. R. Williams.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE BIG BEN.

LAMINE ITEMS.

Lamine, Mo., May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. eBn Kahrs, of Clifton City, and Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ellis and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Norris.

Mrs. J. J. Ball and daughters, Misses Bessie and Helen, were in Sedalia Thursday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirk, of Chicago, Ill., arrived Sunday morning for a few weeks' visit with Mr. Kirks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Kirk.

Litte Miss Winifred Baker is very ill with tonsilitis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis were in Sedalia Monday, shopping.

Misses Naomi Baker and Ruby King and Messrs. Clarence Hudson and Will DeWitt attended services at Memorial Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schibi spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Norris.

Little Miss Clemantine Schibi is spending a few days this week at the home of her uncle, Vick Schibi.



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LAMONTE ITEMS.

Lamonte, Mo., May 6.

Verner Terry, of Kansas City, arrived Saturday for a short visit with his aunt, Mrs. J. J. Penquite.

Mrs. Welborn returned Monday from a visit with her mother.

Will Kemp returned Saturday from Lincoln, where he taught school this winter.

Brewer Potter is attending school at Knob Noster.

Misses Dimple Wimer and Lorine O'Bannon and Edith Reavis spent Saturday with Miss Kate Scotten.

Jay Dorsey, wife and little daughter, of Houstonia, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Smith and baby, of Kansas, are visiting Mrs. Smith's aunt, Mrs. W. F. Yankee.

Miss Ermine Sellers, of Sedalia, visited friends here this week.

Quite a number of Lamonte boys attended the ball game at Sedalia Sunday.

The annual alumni banquet was held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Penquite Saturday night. About seventy guests attended. All had a lovely time.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh, sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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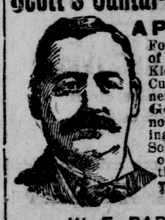
"Little Squaw," a delightful cigar.

Entertained His Employes.

L. H. Arcalas entertained his staff of clerks at a 6 o'clock dinner at his home last evening.



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Time Table

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

No.	Arr.	Going East.	Depart.
4	12:15	....St. L. Exp....	12:20 a m
12	2:10 a m	..St. L. Lim..	2:15 a m
10	2:35 a m	..St. L. Lim..	2:40 a m
22	10:30 a m	..Local Pas..	10:40 a m
2	1:00 p m	..St L. Sp'cl..	1:05 p m
8	4:25 p m	..Mail & Ex..	4:30 p m
38	9:10 p m	..K. C. Accom.	
630			5:20 a m

East bound local freight departs from yards at 7:15 a.m.

No.	Arr.	Going West.	Depart.
9	1:39 a m	..Joplin Lim..	1:45 a m
3	4:00 a m	..Col. Ex....	4:05 a m
11	4:45 a m	K C St J Lm	4:50 a m
37	.....	Local Pass....	7:15 a m
21	2:50 p m	Local Pass	3:00 p m
1	2:30 p m	Col & St J Spe	2:35 p m
7	6:57 a m		7:02 a m
635	7:15 p m		

West bound local freight departs from station at 7:30 a.m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH.

No 622, Passenger, arr	....	10:30 a m
No. 624, Passenger, arr	....	10.55 p m
No. 623, Passenger, dep	....	5:15 a m
No. 621, Passenger, dep	....	2:55 p m
No. 691, Local Frt., dep	....	6:40 a m
No. 692, Local Frt., arr	.....	2:00 p m

WARSAW BRANCH.

No. 643, Local Frt., departs	..	7.15 a m
No. 644, Local, Frt., arr	.....	2:40 p m
No. 637, local pass., depts	..	10.45 a m
No. 636, local pass., arr	.....	2:15 p m

THE MK-T

No.	Arr.	North and East.	Depart.
2	8:25 a m	..Local Pass..	8:50 a m
4	8:05 p m	..Local Pass..	8:30 p m
6	12:35 a m	.. Flyer ..	12:40 a m
504	...	Da. Except Sun ...	6:15 a m

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

No.	Arr.	Going South.	Depart.
1	6:25 p m	..Local Pass..	6:50 p m
3	8:50 a m	..Local Pass..	9:10 a m
5	3:17 a m	... Flyer ...	3:22 a m
511	....	Local Freight	7:10 a m

KANSAS CITY DIVISION.

515	...	Da. Except Sun ...	8:35 a m
451	...	Da. Except Sun ...	2:00 p m
No. 516	arrives	.....	3:55 p m
No. 452	arrives	.....	5:00 a m

34 Trains In and Out of Sedalia Every 24 Hours.

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Special Sale of Monuments at Reduced Prices. **It Will Pay You to Come and See Us.**

110 W. 4th St. **FARLEY BROS.** **Bell Phone 706**

KILLED YOUNG BOY

Policeman in New York Held on a Serious Charge.

New York, May 6.—Policeman James F. Dilion, of the Adams street station, Brooklyn, was sent to Raymond street jail, having been held without bail by Magistrate Dooley when arraigned in Adams street court, charged with wilfully shooting to death Louis Probber, aged 19, in a store conducted by the boy's father at No. 217 Myrtle avenue. From the effects of the bullet wound in his abdomen Probber died this morning in Brooklyn hospital. Several hours before his death he accused Dillon, in an ante-mortem statement to Coroner Brewer of having shot him deliberately.

In the boy's statement to the coroner he furnished a possible motive for the shooting, if it was not, as Dillon asserts, an accidental discharge of the policeman's gun while the policeman was warding off an attack made by the boy's mother. Young Probber told the coroner that he had never had a quarrel with Dillon until he stopped giving him duck eggs for nothing. "I used to give him eggs, but I stopped, and he got mad at me," the boy said.

A guaranteed cough remedy is Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup. For coughs, colds, whooping cough, hoarseness and all bronchial affections. Best for children because it is quick to relieve and tastes good. Gently laxative. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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F. T. Mulcahy will sell you "S" or Vigoral Flour.

F. F. Rush wants your order for S and Vigoral Flour.

Fireman Resigned His Position.

Harry Wagner, for several years a member of the Sedalia fire department and recently engaged as driver of Company No. 2, tendered his resignation to Fire Chief Henry Willis Wednesday to take effect at once. Mr. Wagner will engage in the butcher business with his father, Adam Wagner, the East Sedalia butcher. No successor has yet been named for Mr. Wagner's place. Charles Kieffer, an extra fireman, is temporarily filling the vacancy.

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Stop your indigestion right away; you can do it if you will.

Go to W. E. Bard Drug Co. today and get a box of Mi-o-na tablets. Take one before, with or after meals for a few days and note the wonderful result.

In a week you can eat and enjoy any food you want without after disturbance, in two weeks you will feel like a new being.

Careful women who want to have and keep a good complexion, rosy cheeks, and bright eyes, should try Mi-o-na, acting as it does on the stomach it is the great preventive of impure blood.

If you have a sallow complexion, pimples, blotches, or dull eyes, your digestion is all wrong, and you should take Mi-o-na tablets immediately, and put your stomach right.

Mi-o-na instantly stops belching of gas, sour stomach, heartburn and foul breath.

Mi-o-na is guaranteed by W. E. Bard Drug Co. to cure dyspepsia, sea or car sickness, vomiting of pregnacy, or money back.

Don't hesitate to try Mi-o-na. It is for sale by leading druggists everywhere.

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Cures catarrh or money back. Just breathe it in. Complete outfit, including inhaler $1. Extra bottles 50c. Druggists.

SMOKE GOLDEN ROD CIGAR, 10c.

Given Sixty Days in Jail.

James Foster, a negro, who last December stole an overcoat from Tom Shock, a liveryman, and who was arrested by Chief of Police Boullt at Lexington Wednesday, was given sixty days in jail by Judge Gresham today.

BLOW FOR THEATER TRUST

Forbes-Robertson and His Wife Will Tour Under Shubert Management.

New York, May 6.—Marc Klaw, who sailed for Europe yesterday in alleged search of attractions for the firm of Klaw & Erlanger, started with a bigger handicap than his partner did on the same quest.

Klaw is known to be distressed because of his failure to land a play for Fannie Ward that the public will patronize. But there is still another big gap to fill, as is seen in the news by cable to the Shuberts confirming the contract with Johnston Forbes-Robertson and his wife, Gertrude Elliott, whereunder the next American tour of these splendid players will be made under auspices other than the theatre trust.

Maxine Elliott, sister of Mrs. Robertson, and a Shubert star with her own theatre in New York, was potent in closing the arrangement.

The last time the Robertsons appeared in the United States they played with Klaw & Erlanger. Their desertion of the theatre trust is only one more sign of its weakening under pressure of the independents, and it makes a blank which the Ryleys, the Ziegfields and that kind of producers cannot supply.

P. H. Meyer sells both "S" and Vigoral flour.

BUILDINGS TELL THEIR STORY.

Unwittingly They Reveal Secrets of the Hearts of Those Who Constructed Them.

The observer of buildings may read with ease many a secret of the builder's heart, whether it be pride, ambition, hypocrisy or solid worth. The apartment building that is "built to sell" is easier to read than some structures which are the expression of composite thought. There is a good exterior appearance, halls heavy with "style," with tiled floors, marble walls, and massive chandeliers. But inside the apartments, on every hand, there are evidences of a conscious intention to skimp and neglect even ordinary standards of good carpenter work.

How unwittingly does the builder rear this projection of his inmost character! Would it restrain him to know that others regarded his work as an open confession of the very things he would prefer to hide? It might not change his character, but it could cause him to make such a building as he would like to be thought of as corresponding to in character. If this method of interpreting builders were to be popularized it might raise the standards of the industry. Our contribution to this end would be a proverb, to pass current wherever buildings are contemplated: "A building is a confession in stone."—Collier's.

NOTICE.

Farmers, Contractors, Family Hotel Keepers and Quantity Purchasers.

How would you like to live as cheap as your merchant? Why not buy groceries, hardware, shoes, furniture, carpets, farm implements, etc., at wholesale prices and save from 25 to 100 per cent of the cost? Would you like to be shown? For particulars write to Box No. 52, Sedalia, Mo.

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FRESH FISH.

We get fish every Tuesday, Friday and Saturday. Bass, perch, shad, red snapper, jack salmon, etc.; all strictly fresh.—Cain's Cash Store, 112-114 West Main street.

A WHOLE CAR OF GRAIN

Prominent Citizen of Indiana Accused of Stealing One.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 6.—An indictment has been returned by the Marion county grand jury against Edward W. Bassett, president of the Bassett Grain company, in the Board of Trade building, charging him with the theft of a car load of grain last December belonging to H. E. Kinney. The grain was valued at $800.

Bassett says the car was shipped to him by Willen & Sons, of Terre Haute, and he disposed of it after they informed him by phone that a bill of lading had been sent to him. He says that he credited Willen & Sons with a car load of grain on his books, as his firm kept an open account with the Terre Haute company. He does not understand how the charge was made against him. He gave $1,000 bond and was released.

A week after Bassett sold the wheat Willen came to Indianapolis and sold it to Kinney, who gave him a check for it.

ManZan Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with a nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Took Photographs of Trio.

Chief of Police W. H. Boullt today had photographed the "mugs" of Arnette and Edna Patterson and Frank Brennan, all of Kansas City, who were arrested here Monday for possessing burglars' tools. The "photos" will be placed in the rogues' gallery.

You Have No Idea

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

VAN RIPER IS FAVORED

Former Sedalian as Head of St. Louis Title Guaranty Company.

St. Louis Mo., May 6.—Gustave W. Neimann, president of the Title Guaranty Trust company, has tendered his resignation, to take effect immediately after the election of a successor. The majority of the directors favor the selection of J. C. Van Riper, former president of the Illinois Trust company's bank of East St. Louis, who severed his connection with that financial institution January 1. He formerly was in the banking and title examining business in Sedalia, Mo., and is now identified with timber and railroad interests in the south.

Mr. Van Riper is said to have advanced ideas for a title guaranty trust company that may mean a great increase in its present business.

The directors of this company think that its sphere of usefulness has been too limited in the past and that a broader scope than the simple examination and certification of titles would improve conditions.

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The Characteristic National Meal.

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COUNTERFEITERS TO PRISON

Aged Man Pleads Guilty and is Fined $5,000 and Sentenced for Year.

Fort Scott, Kas., May 6.—Dr. J. Counterman, of New Albany, 75 years of age, pleaded guilty in the United States district court here yesterday to the charge of counterfeiting. In view of his age and his service in the civil war, he was given minimum penalty, a year in prison and a $5,000 fine on each of two counts. Counterman's arrest a year ago marked the end of counterfeiting which was carried on in Wilson county several months before the government broke up the gang.

DOESN'T KNOW MOTHER'S FATE

Griswold Lorillard Coming Home From the Philippines, Not Knowing.

Honolulu, May 6.—Griswold Lorillard, son of Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, who killed herself recently in Washington, is a passenger on the Korea, which arrives at San Francisco May 10. When he arrived here he did not know his mother was a suicide, having received in the Philippines only the notification of her death. Friends are keeping from him all newspapers or publications that contain the facts.

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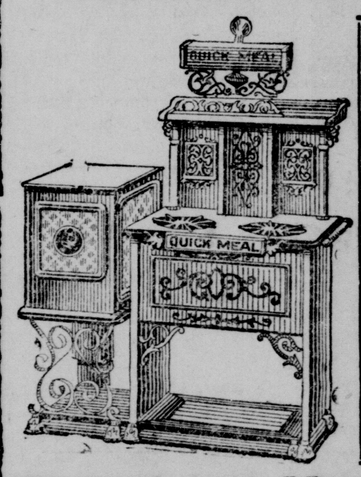


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HE FOUND A POCKETBOOK

GEORGE STEVENS KRISCH WAS FIRST LUCKY AND THEN UNLUCKY.

"FINDERS ARE KEEPERS" THOUGHT HE

So He Boarded a Train for Texas With the Bundle of Bills, but Was Rudely Awakened by Sedalia Officers This Morning.

(From Monday's Daily.)

George Stevens Kirsch, aged 43, was arrested on M., K. & T. southbound flyer No. 5 by Howard Wood, a police officer, at 3:17 o'clock this morning, just after the train arrived in this city, and will be returned to St. Louis tonight to answer to the charge of failing to return to the owner money which he had found on the streets of St. Louis.

When searched at police headquarters $800.85 was found on Kirsch's person. The arrest was made at the instigation of Chief of Police Creecy, of St. Louis, who late Tuesday night telegraphed the police here to search the Katy flyer for Kirsch.

Kirsch is a single man and had been employed by the Graham Paper Co. at St. Louis. In conversation with a Democrat-Sentinel reporter today, he said he had found $800 in currency and gold certificates in a pocketbook lying on the sidewalk on Valentine avenue, between Second and Third streets, in St. Louis Tuesday afternoon.

According to his story, he did not know the owner, and late Tuesday evening he went to Union station, where he purchased a ticket to Fort Worth, Texas, where he expected to go to work.

Just as the flyer arrived in Sedalia, Howard Wood and Henry Bryant, night police officers, entered the train. Kirsch was found half asleep in the chair car, and when told that he was wanted in St. Louis on a charge of grand larceny, submitted to arrest without any argument.

He was taken to police headquarters and searched, the foregoing sum being found in his pockets. The money was in the denomination of $100 bills and gold certificates.

Kirsch said he had been working in St. Louis for ten years past. He had also worked at Fort Worth, and was en route there when arrested.

When seen by a Democrat-Sentinel reporter this morning he talked freely, saying he did not know to whom the money belonged, and had intended going to Fort Worth, anyhow, as he had sufficient money of his own to pay his fare.

John Pendergast, a special officer from St. Louis, arrived in Sedalia at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon after Kirsch, and will return to St. Louis at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon with the prisoner in custody.

The prisoner will be charged with larceny by conversion, according to Officer Pendergast, who stated that the money found belonged to Henry Schumacher, a St. Louis brewer, who lost eight $100 bills, six $10 bills, a check for $1,400, one for $500 and one for $200 on the streets in St. Louis Tuesday.

"Kirsch found the money Tuesday afternoon," Officer Pendergast said. "A hobo saw him putting the money into his shoes, and, recognizing Kirsch, 'tipped' the police. They immediately went to Kirsch's home, but he had already letf the city. We inquired at the station and learned that a man answering the description had purchased a ticket to Fort Worth and we then wired here to catch him."

DOINGS OF COUNTY COURT

Fixed Tax Rate for 1909 and Transacted Other Business.

The judges of the Pettis county court at today's session selected the Sedalia National bank as the county depositary for a term of two years.

The road petition of J. J. Gray, of Elk Fork township, was taken up and considered, and the county surveyor was instructed to locate and map out the road.

George R. Shelley was appointed justice of the peace of Green Ridge township, vice Fred Reams, resigned.

The court levied the following tax on real and personal property in the county for the year 1909:

State	17c
County	50c
Interest on bonded debts	05c
Sinking fund	05c
Road tax	20c

Poll tax in county outside Twelve-Mile Road district, $3 per capita.

Poll tax in Twelve-Mile Road district, $2.50.

Governor Hadley Makes Statement.

Jefferson City, May 5.—Gov. Hadley today declared Railroad Attorney Frank Hagerman's telegram to Attorney General Wickersham yesterday regarding the charges against Judge Philips and McPherson was inaccurate. The governor, however, comments Judge McPherson, and says he may send a statement of the case to President Taft.

WRIGHT BOYS HONORED

WERE GIVEN FIRST MEDAL BY AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY OF ENGLAND.

THEIR FACES COVERED WITH BLUSHES

Stirring Scene in London, Where They Were Feted—May Furnish War Device for the British Nation.

London, May 5.—There was a demonstration of enthusiasm, remarkable in its character, at the institution of Civil Engineers last night, when the Aeronatical Society of Great Britain conferred on Wilbur and Orville Wright, the aeroplanists of Dayton, O., its first gold medal.

Those who had gathered at the institution cheered and applauded repeatedly, while the Wright brothers blushingly bore their honors through an hour of the warmest eulogies. Finally the entire assembly rose up and gave three cheers for each of the brothers. They sang, "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows," and ended by cheering Miss Katherine Wright.

Sir Hiram Maxim, Lieutenant General Baden-Powell Captain F. S. Cody, an American, who is struggling, but thus far unsuccessfully, to perfect his own aeroplane for the British army, and a large number of scientific men and ladies were present.

Speeches were made by Major F. S. Baden-Powell and Colonel J. E. Capper, the war office aeronautical expert, who referred to the Wright brothers as "unspoiled as though they were nobodies," and declared that the nation which failed to keep pace with the flying developments might get badly left in war. The chairman of the gathering, Edward Parkis, Frost, who presented the medal, and both Wilbur and Orville Wright made speeches, tersely expressing their thanks. A reception was then held, and the brothers were surrounded, questioned and besieged for autographs. Earlier in the evening they were given a dinner at the Ritz hotel by the Aeronautical society. They were the guests at luncheon of the leading experts, including seven Englishmen who had accompanied them in different flights in France.

The war office is not likely to conclude arrangements with the inventors until their aeroplane has been given a trial in England in the presence of experts.

Engagements in the United States and Germany, however, preclude the posibility of the Messrs. Wright being able to attend to this personally for some months, but they have made arrangements with a builder here for the construction of machines and have appointed an agent for Great Britain. Their patents, therefore, will be protected, and they expect to sell privately, even if the government does not buy.

The brothers visited the war office this morning and had a conference with War Secretary Haldane and Major General Sir Charles F. Haddon, master general of the ordnance, at which the proposal that they supply the British government with one or more aeroplanes, was discussed.

PEACE CONGRESS RESOLUTION

General Interest Attached to Report of Its Committees.

Chicago, May 5.—General interest at the national peace congress today was attached to the report of the committee on resolutions, which began as follows: "Resolved, that public war is now out of date, a relic of barbarism and that the nations of the world by joint agreement should make its recurrence hereafter impossible."

A DREADFUL ACCIDENT

MRS. GERTRUDE EVERHART AND LITTLE DAUGHTER LOST THEIR LIVES.

A CAN OF COAL OIL WAS THE CAUSE

Mrs. Everhart Tried to Hasten Fire With Oil—Stick of Dynamite Blew Up Also—Four-Year-Old Child in Critical Condition.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mrs. Certrude Everhart, wife of Henry Everhart, a farmer living one and one-half miles north of Sedalia, on the Marshall road, and her 7-year-old daughter, Virgil, were fatally injured in the simultaneous explosion of a can of coal oil and a piece of a stick of dynamite at Mr. Everhart's home at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The child died two hours after the accident, and the mother expired thirty minutes later.

Mrs. Everhart was 27 years old. She had just started to make a fire in the kitchen stove. Her daughter, Virgil, was washing dishes in the kitchen.

The fire did not burn briskly, and Mrs. Everhart seized a two-gallon can of coal oil, about one-fourth full, and started to pour some of the oil into the stove. Instantly there was a terrific explsion.

Flames shot up in every direction, igniting the clothing of Mrs. Everhart and her daughter, both of whom ran from the house, falling exhausted in the yard.

The explosion knocked a piece of a stick of dynamite, which was laying on top of a cupboard in the kitchen, to the floor, causing it to explode. The latter explosion blew away one entire side of the kitchen and otherwise badly wrecked the house.

Dr. W. J. Ferguson was hurriedly summoned to treat the injured victims, but in spite of the best medical skill, they died at the hours stated, death being directly due to the burns received from the oil explosion.

William Everhart, a 4-year-old son, was playing on the floor of the kitchen and sustained painful burns about his legs. He is in a critical condition today, although the attending physician holds out hope for his recovery.

Mrs. Everhart is survived by her husband, two children, William, aged 4, and Viola May, a 7-months-old daughter. She also leaves her father, William Caldwell, of Drexel, Mo., and one brother and three sisters.

The 7-months-old girl baby was lying in a room adjoining the kitchen at the time of the explosion, but escaped injury.

A double funeral will be held at Mt. Herman church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and burial will be in Mt. Herman cemetery. The Rev. R. C. Miller, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, will officiate.

MAY BE PROFESSIONAL CROOKS

One Woman and Two Men Arrested With Burglars' Tools.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Arnette Patterson and his wife, Edna Patterson, and Frank Brennan, all of whom claim Kansas City as their home, were arrested late Monday by Fred Robertson, assistant chief of police, and J. H. Bower, a patrolman, and now occupy quarters in the county jail, awaiting trial in criminal court on the charge of possessing burglars' tools.

Between 4 and 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, while patroling Ohio avenue, Officer Bower heard a pistol shot. Investigating, he learned it emanated from apartments over the chili parlors, 111 South Ohio avenue.

Accompanied by Assistant Chief Robertson, Officer Bower proceeded to ascertain the cause of the shooting and on entering the room occupied by the trio learned from Brennan that the gun had been accidentally discharged while he was cleaning it.

The three were taken to police headquarters and given a "sweating" process, but each declined to tell anything. Chief of Police Boulit then ordered their suit cases, three in number, brought to headquarters and when they were searched two large-sized revolvers, numerous skeleton keys, twenty-one cartridges, a chisel, files and other burglars' tools were found.

The trio was locked in jail until this morning, when they were arraigned before H. M. Gresham, ex-officio justice of the peace. Each was held to criminal court in the sum of $1,000, in default of which they were removed to the county jail.

The police are inclined to think that the prisoners furnished the saws and files used by Charles Williams, the alleged horse thief, in attempting to escape from jail this morning.

State Fair Meeting Postponed.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The meeting of the executive committee of the board of directors of the Missouri State fair, which was to have been held at the office of Secretary J. T. Stinson tomorrow, has been postponed until May 12.

SHE LOVES AN OLD MAN

PRETTY BROOKLYN YOUNG GIRL HAS A STRANGE INFATUATION.

WANTED TO KILL HERSELF FOR HIM

Object of Her Affection Said He Had Done Everything Possible to Cure Her of Notion, but All Efforts Have Failed.

New York, May 5.—Weeping piteously, pretty little 18-year-old Mary Schlosser sat at the side of Magistrate Hulan in the New Jersey avenue police court, Brooklyn, yesterday and told him of the unrequited love she bore a boarder in her mother's home at No. 147 Hull street, Brooklyn.

Mary's little earnings were all that stood dbetween the family and starvation, and when Joseph Steinmetz came along and agreed to pay the family $10 a month for one of their rooms he was welcomed.

At first sight, Mary fell desperately in love with her mother's boarder, despite the fact that he was old enough to be her father. On Dec. 9, 1907, she swallowed carbolic acid, and hovered between life and death at the Bradford avenue hospital for several weeks. She was arrested and put on probation.

Steinmetz had done all in his power to cure Mary of her infatuation. Saturday morning Mary told her mother that without the love of Steinmetz life was not worth the living, and that she intended to jump out of a window and kill herself. Mary was held a prisoner until she was taken to the police court, where her parole was continued indefinitely.

WAS AN EASY MARK

Aged Nebraskan Gives Woman $935 and Barber $400.

Chicago, May 4.—When Theodore Langstone, 76 years old, gets back to Tecumseh, Neb., he will have "some story" to tell the boys. While he is poorer in worldly goods, he has gained knowledge of woman's wiles and of the lures of a great city.

He has appealed to the chief of detectives, and asked help in finding Miss Mary E. Bodey, described as a dashing brunette, with offices in the Schiller building, where she carried on a real estate and brokerage business.

Langstone said he had given her $935 and that she had promised to marry him, but disappeared. He wants his money back.

Detectives accompanied him to the Schiller building office, where they found, tacked on the door, a sign that compressed a deal of meaning into four letters, "Gone."

He also told the police that when he arrived in Chicago he went to a barber shop to get shaved. "And when I pulled my wallet out the barber feller he says, 'Say, old man, that's too much money for you to carry around in a wicked city like this. Better let me keep it for you.' So I gave him $400 to keep till I came for it."

"Where is the barber shop?" interrupted the detectives.

"I don't know. I could not find it again."

The agriculturist displayed $1,100 in cash which the woman and the barber overlooked.

No News from Missing Boy.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Up to date the police have heard nothing of Ernest Robinson, the 12-year-old son of Frank Robinson, a Missouri Pacific hostler helper, who disappeared from his home less than a fortnight ago.

PLEADED FOR HER BOY

AGED MOTHER OF CAPT. HAINS WAS ON WITNESS STAND YESTERDAY.

SHE BROKE DOWN WHILE TESTIFYING

Her Pathetic Recital of Son's Strange Actions Has Great Effect on the Jury—Alienist Stage Is Nearly Reached.

New York, May 5.—Mrs. Virginia Jenkins Hains spent an hour yesterday afternoon in the witness chair of the supreme court at Flushing, giving evidence in the defense of her youngest son, Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., on trial there for the murder of William E. Annis. Two of Mrs. Hains' sons have been accused of murder, one of them has twice been tried on that charge. Only a few months ago she testified in his behalf.

Mrs. Hains appeared quite feeble, and Major Hains, her son, assisted her to the witness stand. Mrs. Hains glanced at Capt. Hains as she passed by him in the court room, but there was no sign of recognition on the defendant's face. Mrs. Hains' hair is almost white. She spoke distinctly, but appeared a little nervous when she began her testimony. Mr. McIntyre asked her about her own early life and the time of Capt. Hains' birth.

Mrs. Hains recounted many of the facts set forth in the testimony of her husband concerning the mental condition of her son. She was unused to legal methods, and in her eagerness to defend her boy she at times tried to introduce extraneous mater. She was cautioned many times by both Lawyer McIntyre and the court, but gentleness and kindliness were the tones of those warning her.

At one point in her testimony, when referring to her son's hysterical talk, she said:

"I was overcome with grief at these wild remarks, but the general had already told me that the poor boy was stark crazy——"

Prosecutor Dewitt raised his voice over that of Mrs. Hains, importuning the judge for an interruption. Justice Garretson called to her sharply:

"Mrs. Hains, you cannot say such things on the stand. Remember that you are a witness and not a pleader."

"Can't I say that my boy was crazy when I know—oh I know?"

"You can not," ruled the judge.

Again and again the woman tried to continue her story, each time erring grievously against the conventions of the law. The court had to stop her.

"But," protested the woman, who could not understand, "I am a mother—a mother telling the truth about her boy. Will you not let me tell it?"

After telling of the "vampire" incident, Mrs. Hains lost control of herself and for five minutes rocked in her chair sobbing. Lawyers stood uncomfortably in their places, fumbling with papers. The judge turned his chair and looked out of the window. The stolid Swedish foreman of the jury suddenly found interest in a loose sole on his shoe. She left the stand sobbing.

A doctor and a minister testified yesterday as to the captain's violent actions while in jail.

Before the close of today's session McIntyre announced that today the defense would come into court with a hypothetical question of about 10,000 words in length, which will be submitted to alienists. He will rest his defense before the end of the day.

ICE 3-4 INCH IN THICKNESS

Reported on Many Fruit Farms in the Sunflower State.

Kansas City, Mo., May 1.—Freezing weather, with the temperature in Western Kansas as low as 30 degrees above zero, still prevailed in the southwest today.

According to the local observer, it covered most of Missouri, all of Kansas, the greater portion of Oklahoma and extended into the Panhandle.

Growers in the vicinity of Wichita, Kas., report much fruit killed. On many Kansas fruit farms ice three-quarters of an inch thick formed.

Taking Treatment in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hoehns, of Florence, Mo., were in the city yesterday. Both are taking treatment at the Dr. Camp Medical Co.

Mrs. William Mahnken, of Florence, Mo., began taking the Dr. Camp Medical Co. Inhalatorium treatment yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Dwyer, of Pilot Grove, Mo., was in Sedalia yesterday. Mrs. Dwyer is taking treatment of the Dr. Camp Medical Co.

Will Address Bankers' Convention.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Evans are in St. Joseph attending the state bankers' convention, which convenes today. Tomorrow Mr. Evans will read a paper before the convention on behalf of the delegates to the American bankers' convention in Denver, in which the work of that body will be fully explained and commented on.

WILL MAKE ANOTHER TRY

WALTER WELLMAN WILL ENDEAVOR TO AGAIN REACH THE NORTH POLE.

WILL MAKE THE TRIP IN HIS BALLOON

Americans Supplying the Money to Back the Attempt—Three Men to Make the Flight From Spitzbergen.

Washington, May 5.—Walter Wellman has announced that he will renew his effort to reach the North pole by means of a dirigible balloon or airship this summer. All the preparations have been made and Mr. Wellman will sail next week for Paris and Norway. This expedition will be under Mr. Wellman's individual ownership and responsibilty. The capital has been supplied by Americans interested in the enterprise solely on scientific and patriotic grounds.

No change has been made in the general plan of the expedition. Mr. Wellman will assemble and inflate the airship at the headquarters station, Spitzbergen, in June and July, and start through the air in August, provided the weather conditions make a start practicable with reasonable chance for success. The airship to be used is the America, which had a trial voyage of about twenty miles at Spitzbergen a year ago last September.

The owners of the Chicago Record-Herald have turned over to Mr. Wellman, free of charge, the airship, plant, buildings and machinery used in Mr. Wellman's former attempt to find the pole. The America is the second largest airship yet built. It is about three-fifths the size of the Zeppelin, and twice as large as the largest French ships. It has a lifting capacity of nearly ten tons. It has been reconstructed and improved in the expedition workshops in Paris.

The America is to carry a crew of three men, 6,000 pounds of gasoline for the engines, food for a year, sledges, sledge dogs, a life boat and all the requirements of a sledging party, should it be necessary to resort to that method of travel. One member of the crew will be the chief engineer, Mr. Vaniman, an American, who was in charge of the ship's engines on the trial voyage in 1907. The third member has not been selected.

"The difficulty of getting a fair start with an airship designed to go to the pole, is of course, very great," Mr. Wellman said. "On account of ice conditions it is impracticable to reach the base and start effective work before the early days of June. The season is at an end in the last days of August. In our first year, 1906, we had fine weather, but could not establish the base and inflate and perfect the airship in one short season. The second year, 1907, we were ready, but continuous high winds robbed us of all chance for a fair start. We have not as yet an information concerning the condition of our camp. The balloon house may have been damaged or destroyed by the winter's storms.

"We have no settled convictions as to whether success is or is not awaiting us in case we are able to make a start this year. If this were an easy thing to do it would have been done long ago. Moreover if it were easy, it would have little of the fascination which it now possesses."

Bought Half of Hotel Huckins.

Harvey L. Terry and P. B. Rafter, the latter of Nevada, former owners of the Antlers' hotel, late Tuesday purchased a one-half interest in the Huckins hotel from the Sedalia Hotel company. Mr. Terry at once succeeded F. S. Bartholomew as manager.

TAFT IS ON THE WAGON

HEAD OF NATION DOESN'T INDULGE IN ANYTHING THAT INTOXICATES.

HE QUIT DRINKING A YEAR AND HALF AGO

While Being Entertained by Congressman Carlin Passed Everything Up and Called for a Cup of Tea.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—Here is a tip to folks who may next summer and fall have an opportunity to be hosts to president Taft. Have tea and hot water in the house whenever he is expected.

Credit for this thoughtful suggestion really is due to Representative Charles C. Carlin, of Virginia, who was the president's host during his visit to Alexandria last week.

When Mr. Taft reached the Carlin home, after his automobile trip over the dusty roads, in company with Vice President Sherman and Speaker Cannon, the genial representative thought he would need some refreshments, and in anticipation of this very natural want, he had some fine refreshments on hand. The list included champagne, whisky, beer, punch, buttermilk, ginger ale, sarsaparilla, lemonade and so on.

After greeting those who were gathered about, the president was invited into the dining room, where this magnificent bachanalian menu was displayed.

With hospitality written in capital letters across his beaming countenance, Carlin led the president up to it and said:

"Mr. President, I know you must be very thirsty after breathing in all this Virginia dust. What will you have to drink?"

Mr. Taft's eye traveled slowly over the crowded sideboard, and, when he had read the label on every bottle, said, with a smile, "I think I'll have a cup of tea."

That was the only drink Carlin had overlooked, but he never would have got to congress were he a man without resources, and he hurried into the parlor, where Mrs. Carlin was receiving her guests, and told her the situation in an excited whisper.

"But we have no hot water," cried his wife, "and you know tea can not be made without it."

"Can't help that," replied her husband, "the president has asked for tea, and he must have it."

After a short conference, at which ways and means were discussed, a small gas lamp, used in heating curling irons, was secured, and in about five minutes the water was boiling.

When the tea was served, the president said, with a relish:

"That is one of the best cups of tea I ever drank. May I have another?"

Again the little lamp was put to work, and the second cup was handed to Mr. Taft and he enjoyed it as much as the first.

"I always thought I was a good provider, commented Mr. Carlin, after the president had taken his departure, "but I was never so flabbergasted in all my life as when the president called for tea. The next time I have the honor of entertaining the chief magistrate I am going to see to it that the cook remains on duty and there is plenty of hot water on hand. To think that Mr. Taft refused even a 'Fairbanks cocktail!'"

Mr. Taft did not refuse a real drink because he was suspicious of the wet goods on Mr. Carlin's sideboard—they all bore the government pure food guarantee; it was because he has been sitting steadily on the water wagon for a year and a half, and does not expect to fall off.

GOT TWO MORE LIONS

Ex-President Now Holds the Record in Protectorate.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 5.—Col. Roosevelt went lion hunting again yesterday, and before the chase was over two more big lions had fallen before his gun. He now holds the record for lion killing in the protectorate.

Inheritance Tax Bill Defeated.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 5.—The house today rejected Governor Hadley's inheritance tax measure. The bill provided for an assessment of 2 per cent on all inheritances greater than $10,000.

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THE GROUNDHOG OUGHT TO BE SERVNG TIME.

Within the memory of the oldest person living it is doubtful if a storm so extraordinary in all its characteristics can be recalled to compare with that which extended over practically the entire country east of the Rocky mountains during the past week. It was probably the greatest freak storm in the history of the weather bureau. Absolutely no regard was paid in its exhibitions to the well established laws of seasons, changes and atmospheric disturbances.

In Missouri we had at the same hour tornadoes, furious hail storms, terrific deluges of rain and typical summer thunder and lightning. It snowed in various localities all the way from Nebraska to New York City. In some places the fall was a foot deep, the snow being the heaviest at one time since the opening of last winter. The electrical disturbances were pronounced all over the northern half of the country, weirdly accompanying howling snow storms, setting fire to houses and barns and destroying much property.

Thousands of fruit and other trees are suffering from broken branches, caused by the heavy accumulations of snow they bore, and destruction of most unusual nature has been visited in all directions.

Nearly every city, town and hamlet has some strange experience to relate, some freak of weather or some prank it has played. Simultaneously with these startling phenomena in the north, tornadoes have been sweeping death and destruction through their accustomed channels in the south. Scores of persons have been killed and much property damaged. Freezing weather has been reported in a number of states in the south and southwest, where fruit and vegetation are so far advanced that the crops of this kind are certain to suffer heavily. And all at the close of April.

This bedlam of the elements is the culmination of unusual weather. Early indications pointed to a favorable spring. We had had a comparatively open and mild winter. The only untoward event was the sighting of his shadow by the groundhog. But according to all recorded precedents this omen prophesied only six weeks of cold and bade us prepare for salubrious suns some time in March.

It is now a matter of history, ignominious to the groundhog, that this promise upon which humanity relied in the stocking of coal bins was grossly violated. Not only was March chilly and blowy and snowy, but the whole of April has been equally inhospitable.

There hasn't been enough spring in many sections to start an onion sprout. The groundhog ought at this moment be serving not less than ninety days in the house of correction. We ought to have satisfaction in some way for this meterological escapade, but perhaps the law of compensation will supply it in July and August with 110 in the shade.

THE BOOMERANG OF A SMILE.

What's the worth of a smile?
Your whole bank account.
What business ever prospered on hard luck stories?
What clerk ever talked his way to promotion through an ugly down-turned mouth?
What's the worth of a smile? Your whole happiness.
Whoever fell in love with a scowl?
What home ever prospered on temper or on tears?
There are times always when if you've any particle of "nerves" in your make-up you have to either laugh or cry. Then laugh!
The ugly burst of temper never wins anything but disgust and just a little shrinking.
The ever present tale of woe never fails to grow tiresome.
Life's good to you! Know it! The trials of today may not even be memories tomorrow. The mountain of the moment to come shrinks to the mole hill of the mountain that is passed. You can't help but smile to think how you worried. Smile first, and you'll forget to worry.
Don't imagine a smile is always a self-sacrificing, martyr-like, saintly arrangement. It isn't. It pays.
Smile at your troubles and even your enemies will admire you for it.
Storm out your self-pity and your best friends will turn their backs.
A smile is a beautiful boomerang. It goes out and cheers the folks around you, and then comes back and helps you forty times as much as all the others put together.
What's the worth of a smile?
Everything.

LEAVE THE LIBRARY ALONE.

Alderman Ilgenfritz's ideas of economy are hardly in accord with the prevailing sentiment of the times, and his plan of saving money for the city by cutting off revenue from the public library will hardly be endorsed by the people of this community.

As a matter of fact, there is no item of public expense, with the exception of the public schools, of course, that so directly and consistently tends to good citizenship as does a public library, and to limit the usefulness and influence of the local institution by cutting down its income would be the veriest folly.

To provide books for the army of readers who patronize it requires money, and lots of it; but the assertion can safely be made that not one dollar has ever been expended for that purpose but what has returned ten-fold the cost in the pleasure and profit received by the readers, many of whom would otherwise have been denied both.

Economy in municipal affairs is a good thing, but economy at the cost of this beneficent institution is civic suicide .Give the library all that it is getting and cut the cloth at some other place.

How would it do for the aldermen as a matter of pure patriotism, to donate their valuable services for a few months?

CUTTING RED TAPE.

Recently a postoffice money order forger was arrested in Chicago, and in forty-eight hours he was sent on his way toward Leavenworth, Kan., for a two-year term.

Such speed, without a miscarriage of justice, could scarcely be hoped for elsewhere than in the United States court of the northern district of Illinois. In this man's case every end of justice was satisfied. He was caught red handed by the postal inspectors. District Attorney Edwin W. Sims' office was notified. In a few minutes a legal specialist on postal violations confronted the prisoner in Commissioner M. A. Foote's office, across the hall. The process then was:

Prisoner waives examination; held for grand jury; grand jury, then sitting on the same floor, indicts; indictment written and argument prepared; case heard by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis; prisoner sentenced; commitment papers issued; tranportation secured; train boarded. Time, forty-eight hours.

The thing that made this record possible without disrupting a whole office force, was the modern legal machine just completed by District Attorney Sims, after two years of constructive work. This machine has destroyed all red tape procedure common to government offices and replaced it with that thing called "system."

No. 1971.
Report of the Condition of the
Citizens' National Bank
At Sedalia, in the State of Missouri, at the close of business April 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 810,035 11
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		3,234 72
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		10,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		40,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		95,025 00
Banking house Furniture, fixtures		24,500 00
Other real estate owned		1,450 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	5,481 85	
Due from state banks and bankers,	2,842 77	
Due from approved reserve agents	199,627 98	
Exchanges for clearing house	10,956 17	
Notes of other national banks	31,115 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	480 00	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	36,887 00	
Legal tender notes	55,000 00	342,390 77
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent.) of circulation		5,000 00
Total		$1,431,635 60

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund		100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		32,332 57
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 8,655 82	
Due to state banks and bankers	116,351 56	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	19,012 71	
Individual deposits subject to check	687,563 63	
Time certificates of deposit	257,719 31	
United States deposits	10,000 00	1,099,303 03
Total		$1,431,635 60

State of Missouri,
County of Pettis--ss.
I, Wm. H. Powell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Wm. H. POWELL, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of April, 1909.
P. H. Sangree, Notary Public.
My commission expires September 28th, 1912.
Correct Attest--[Seal]
W. T. Hutchinson.
Geo. R. Shively.
Grant Crawford.
Directors.

HOUSTONIA ITEMS.

Houstonia, Mo., May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Longan and daughter, Nell, spent Saturday and Sunday in Sedalia with C. L. Hanley and family.

Miss Angie Berry, of Sweet Springs, spent Sunday with Mrs. T. A. Smith.

Mrs. E. B. Gibson, of Sedalia, and Mrs. Clay Goodloe, of St. Louis, visited Mrs. T. C. McConell Thursday and Friday.

Jay Dorsey and wife spent Sunday in Lamonte.

Misses Ruby and Lonne Tuck spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Miss Mary Parkhurst spent last week with her brother, Dr. Parkhurst.

Mrs. H. C. Brown returned home Sunday, after a two months' visit in Houston, Texas, with her daughter. Mrs. Horine.

Mrs. George Morris was in Kansas City last week, buying more hats for her millinery business.

Miss Carpenter, of Lexington, Mo., spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Carpenter who is assisting Mrs. Geo. Morris in the millinery business.

Glenn Robertson and wife were in Sedalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hains entertained Sunday at dinner Judge Higgins and wife, T. W. Warren and family, W. H. Fergus and family, Roy Morris and wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson and J. W. Boulton.

RURAL ROUTE NO. 5 ITEMS.

Several from this neighborhood attended the Bradley Bros. sale Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ramey, from Hughesville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dirck.

Miss Pearl Dillard and Miss Ora Ellis spent Friday evening with Mrs. Wick Ellis.

Quite a crowd of young folks stormed Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greer Saturday night. The evening was spent in music and games. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rhine, Misses Mary, Effie, and Bessie Greer, Miss Pearl Dillard, Miss Nellie Greer, Miss Ora Ellis, Mr. Henry Bradley, Greer Rhine, Henry Greer, Jim Berry Ellis, Allen Phillips, Jim Dillard, Ira Bradley, Wib Ditton.

Mr. Bob Ellis left Monday for a few weeks' visit with his brothers in Montana.

Ed Wells and Mr. Donahue, from Sedalia, were out on Muddy fishing Tuesday.

J. W. Ellis and O. D. Jenkins made a business trip to Sedalia Monday.

Jim Dillard and Earl Dirck planted corn for J. W. Ellis Monday.

Green Rhine called on Miss Bessie Crane Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs Jno. Dirck were shopping in Sedalia Tuesday.

UNDERWEAR SPECIAL!

For the balance of the week our entire Muslin Underwear stock will be greatly reduced. All new goods

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See our Novelty Department for Everything New

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All colors in Summer Hosiery

Everything beautiful for Graduating Gifts

Meuschke Dry Goods Co.
Cor. Ohio & Third
Phones 297

CRYSTAL SPRINGS ITEMS

Otterville, Mo., May 5.

Miss Willie Gunn returned to her home at Kansas City Thursday, after an extended visit with friends at this place.

Mr. Dave Halley went to Kansas City Thursday to visit his two sons, Ernest and Estell Halley, of that place.

Mrs. Nettie Martin returned last week from a visit with Mesdames John Murphy, Mattie Saunders and other friends in Sedalia.

Mrs. Ola Michaels, of Clifton City, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Bente, this week.

D. B. Mayfield, wife and children, were passengers to Sedalia Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie Arni and Zulu Reed are visiting Mrs. Ida Morris in Versailles this week.

L. P. Ames was transacting business in Sedalia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rennison visited with their daughter, Mrs. H. D. Case, Wednesday.

A. G. Hansberger was in Sedalia Monday between trains.

Mrs. Reed Sturgis and children, of Clarksburg, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Lena Ames.

Rev. Cobb and wife returned to their home in Lexington Wednesday after visiting friends here.

Mrs. Susan King started for Oklahoma Tuesday to spend the summer with relatives.

Charles Kuykendall and wife were passengers to Sedalia Saturday.

Mrs. E. E. Cordry, of Clifton City, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Spaedy.

Quite a hail storm visited this section of the country last week, doing much damage to gardens and breaking quite a number of window panes.

F. R. Varner was transacting business in Warrenburg last week.

D. B. Mayfield shipped three loads of cattle to St. Louis the first of the week.

W. H. Laidlaw gave examinations to pupils finishing the eighth grade. Those who took the examination and received diplomas were: Irene Daugherty, Irma Bane, Gladys Garland, Nell Harlan, Mattie Belle Hupp, Noland Reed, Yancey McManus, Jesse and Emmett Parsons.

Frank Shults was visiting friends in Bunceton Sunday.

Ora Downs, of Syracuse, was the guest of Neale Goode and family Sunday.

Fred Adams came in from Denver, Col., Saturday for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shoemaker and children were the guests of Mrs. M. E. Small Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Gregory and little daughter, Maurice, of Oklahoma, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Ann Monroe.

'Squire Brooks and wife spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks, near Clifton City.

Misses Lillian Shupp and Mabel Shoemaker are nursing a case of measels.

F. J. Taylor, of Sedalia, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. S. J. Martin

Mrs. Lina Ames is slowly recovering from an attack of paralysis.

Mr. John Jenkins is reported quite ill the past few days.

Miss Clara Robinson will teach the Cline school this year, and Miss Ruth Smith will teach Stony Point school.

Charles Sparks, of Syracuse; E. W. Sawford, of Smithton, and L. C. Wilkerson, north of town, delivered hogs to D. B. Mayfield Tuesday.

"Aunt" Sack Finley (colored) was brought home from Sedalia Tuesday quite ill.

Mrs. Arnsworth, formerly of this place, died in Sedalia last Wednesday and was was brought here for burial in the Odd Fellows' cemetery Friday. Quite a number of relatives and friends accompanied the remains.

Ardee Bane spent Sunday with his friend, Thornton Wear, south of the city.

DRESDEN ITEMS.

Dresden, May 4.

Mrs. J. A. Scott and daughter, Dixie, were shopping in the Queen City Thursday.

Mrs. George Steele was a passenger to Lamonte Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Fowler, Marshall Davis, Tom Farris, Rev. Williams and "Dick" Gentry were passengers to Sedalia Thursday.

Hortense Lee attended the graduating exercises at Lamonte Tuesday.

Ed Shacklett and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Sam Adams.

Mrs. McCall and sister, Aleen Clingan, of Lamonte, spent Monday with relatives here.

Dr. Powers made a professional call in Warrensburg Monday.

Cad Todd and wife, of Sedalia, spent Tuesday with Woodie Mitchum who has been very ill, but is reported better.

Miss Georgia Adams, who taught the Allen school last winter, returned to her home here Saturday.

Mrs. R. V. Gentry and daughters, Marie and Dixie, spent Tuesday with Mrs. George Farris.

Mrs. J. S. Bunnell and son, Frank M. Smith, were passengers to Sedalia Monday.

Little Floyd Davis, our champion fisherman, caught twenty-eight good-size fish Thursday.

Mr. Keyes spent Sunday with Mr. J. T. Evans.

The K. and L. of S. gave an ice cream supper at their hall Saturday evening and everybody reported a jolly old time.

A. B. Ferguson and wife returned home from Knobnoster Friday, after spending a few days with friends.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson and daughter, Sallie, were shopping in the Queen City Saturday.

POSTAL ITEMS.

Postal, Mo., May 4.

Everybody is busy planting corn at this writing.

Miss Mary Ezell and little sister, are guests of A. R. McCorkle this week.

Charlie Aldredge made a business trip to Nelson Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Reed were dinner guests at Mr. Wesley Cornine's Sunday.

Miss Dora Thomas and brother, John, of Wanamaker, spent Sunday with Misses Maggie and Lillian King.

Mr. Will Fendric spent a few days with his niece, Mrs. Ben Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reno visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Raines, Sunday.

We regret to say that Miss Ivy Miller, who is suffering from consumption, is very low.

J. J. Murphy, whose house burned about a month ago, has moved into his new one.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snapp spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Hannah Harton.

Rev. Mitchell, of Marshall, preached Sunday morning and evening at Miller's chapel. A Sunday school was also organized there to be held at 10 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Younger entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Raines and Miss Mabel Swope.

A. R. McCorkle left Saturday for St. Louis, where he will spend a few days with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Persley and sister, Miss Pearl, visited their uncle, Mr. Penison, Sunday.

Fine Bulls for Sale.

Eight registered high grade Aberdeen-Angus bulls.—William Raifeisen, three miles west of Green Ridge, on the old Tomlin farm.

Men's Low Shoes



Black and Tan Sailor & Oxford Ties
IN ALL THE NEW LASTS.

Wm. COURTNEY'S

WANTED—HORSES AND MULES

Don't have to be sound or good workers, but must be fat. At Menefee's barn, West Main, Saturday, May 8.—O. Conrad.

PLEASANT VALLEY ITEMS.

Pleasant Valley, Mo., May 4.

The hail storm last Thursday did a great deal of damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Reynolds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bohon entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Coffan and little daughter. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bohon and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schneider had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Dewitt, Messrs. J. M. Dewitt, Charlie Schneider, Russell Franklin, Misses Nona Holdner and Lulu Bohon.

Misses Ruth and Mabel Pace, of Lamonte, are visiting the Misses Garrett this week.

Miss Minnie Schneider and Fred Mosby spent Sunday evening with Miss Pearl Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohon visited Mrs. Louella Mosby Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eicholz and little daughter, Lorena, Mrs. R. C Anderson, Miss Retta Anderson and Miss Edith Van Dyke spent Sunday at the home of F. M. Garrett.

Mrs. Ida Franklin spent Sunday with her parents, P. P. McCune and wife, of Lamonte.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Garrett, of Sedalia, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bohon.

W. R. Bohon and son, Noah, were transacting business in the Queen City Monday.

FROST KING'S QUEEN OF MAY.

O start the furnace early, start it early, papa dear,
Tomorrow may be the coldest day of all the frosty year!
Ma, get my flannels and my furs, that dress of heavy gray,
For I'm to be the Queen of May, mamma, I'm to be the Queen of May.

My Cinderella slippers will be overshoes fur lined,
My muff my scepter, and my crown the ear muff, mink toque kind.
Have Bridget heat a dozen brick for my grand chariot sleigh,
For I'm to be Queen of May, mamma, I'm to be Queen of May!

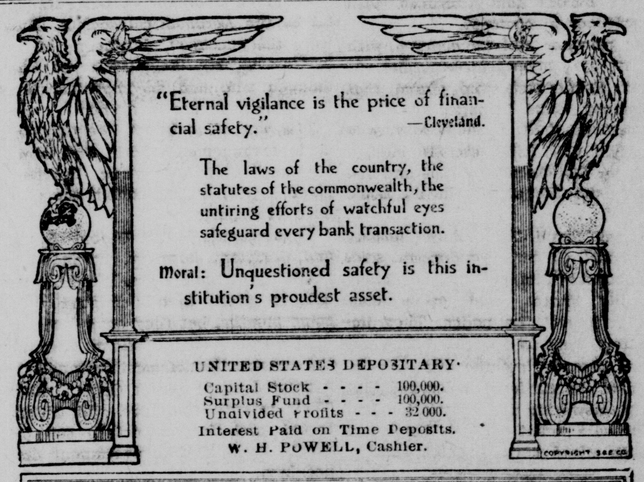
We've icicles for jewels, artificial flowers, of course.
A phonograph will sing May songs, for we are all too hoarse;
The banquet is hot sandwiches, hot lemonade entree,
For I'm to be Queen of May, mamma, I'm to be Queen of May!

We can't put up a Maypole, for the ground is froze so hard,
We use a 'phone pole in Boyd's high fence, windbreak, back yard;
The boys have shoveled off the snow; the skating's fine, they say,
And I'm to be Queen of May, mamma, I'm to be Queen of May!

—Lu B. Cake in Omaha Bee.

New Photograph Studio.

Our new photograph studio is equipped especially for high grade work. See us for copying, enlarging and commercial work. We do picture framing. "When quality counts we get the order."—Thomas & Potter, Photo Studio, 111 Ohio street.



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TWO HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS INVOLVED IN THE FINANCIAL PLANS.

SURFACE AND ELEVATED LINES INCLUDED

White Slave Traffic in Chicago Seems to Be Getting Its Death Blow as the Result of Federal Prosecution There.

Chicago, May 3.—The consolidation of Chicago's elevated and surface traction lines into one unit, following the pending merger of the elevated railways, will involve $200,000,000, according to estimates now made public. The elevated merger now is at hand, as the formal proposal to the directors of the four companies will be made May 3 by the committee that has prepared the plan. The acceptance of the proposal is said to be assured.

Unofficial confirmation of reports that the surface lines would be brought into one consolidated unit has been given and traffic figures show the need and benefits that impel the consolidation. The rehabilitation of the surface lines has seriously cut into the "short haul" traffic of the elevated roads. People who live close in prefer the big, fast cars on the surface to climbing stairs to the elevated platforms. The elevated roads bid fair to get a major portion of the "long haul" traffic to the outlying residence zone. The merging of elevated and surface lines will serve, it is thought, to balance the traffic changes.

The proposal to the directors will be for a lease that will assure dividend returns to stockholders of the elevated roads and the Union loop. The plan marks a stride toward making Chicago the great traction security market of the United States.

The high record in railway building on the North American continent this year will not go to any state in the Union, but to the province of Alberta, in Western Canada, where there is greater mileage of branch as well as trunk lines now under construction and contract than in any other equal area. Railway supply interests of Chicago, confronted with a dull year in the United States, and therefore keenly interested in furnishing supplies to the new transcontinetal Canadian lines are in receipt of information from Winnipeg that the total expenditures of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern railways alone will amount this year to nearly $20,000,000. Between Winnipeg and Prince Rupert, on the western coast, there are now less than 300 miles of the Grand Trunk Pacific not yet under contract. The construction contracts on this road aggregate about $10,000,000. This statement is made on authority of R. J. Chamberlain, general manager, and J. W. Stewart, contractor. The Canadian Northern, which is also headed for the Pacific coast, will expend in new construction work about $1,000,000 a month for the remaining months of this year, and will purchase rolling stock to the value of $3,000,000, according to Vice President D. D. Mann, of that system. This road will complete 400 miles of main line before the end of the season, including a portion of the line west of the Rocky Mountains, surveys for which are now being made. On the Grand Trunk Pacific trains will be running from the head of the Great Lakes to the Rock moutains this fall, a distance of 1,700 miles. The steel head is now within 100 miles of Edmonton, and before June will have reached that city and be on its way west. The extraordinary influx of settlers to Alberta has led to a corresponding activity in the building of branch lines, which are opening territory hitherto remote from rail.

From cities adjacent to Chicago come reports that the dealers in "white slaves," particularly the dealers in immigrant girls, have fled from Chicago as a result of federal prosecutions and have taken up new headquarters in St. Louis, St. Paul, Milwaukee and other of the larger cities. From St. Louis comes this report:

"Until recently this city was more or less free from the operations of these ruthless dealers in the souls of women, but within the past year Chicago has cleaned out several bands of the men, and they have found a roosting place in St. Louis. It is only by the cleverest sort of work that they are located. They flit from place to place, and, with the aid of confederates and their crafty cunning, they avoid detection. The women whom they have sold into slavery rarely inform upon them. The poor creatures are menaced with threats, and, when taken in charge by officials of the government or the police, refuse to tell even the name of their seducers, much less aid the agents in ferreting them out."

The recent enactment in Minnesota of the three statutes recommended by the committee on legislation appointed by the Chicago magazine, "Woman's World," will enable the authorities of the cities in that state to drive the white slavers out. Requests have been received from New York and South Carolina within a week for copies of the Illinois white slave bills which are considered models for the purpose.

The committee has received letters of inquiry and approval concerning the proposed national league to continue the campaign against the white slave traffic, which indicate cordial co-operation by local clubs, associations and lodges in the work.

The problem whether to begin the lakes-to-the-gulf deep waterway with the $20,000,000 voted by the state of Illinois or wait until Uncle Sam provides cash for putting in locks and making the Illinois ditch a waterway is under debate, with distinguished champions for both sides. Isham Randolph, engineer for the sanitary district, advocates immediate work, saying:

"Whether the government helps or not, I believe the state of Illinois should go ahead as far as lies within our means. We should complete the canal from Lockport to Utica, 300 feet wide, and then if Uncle Sam is not willing to accept this gift at the hands of our people, Illinois, at least, will have its own canal, which eventually will pay for itself."

However, Lyman E. Cooley, "the father of the drainage canal," and conspicuously the champion of the deep waterway, says now is no time for imprudent haste. "The $20,000,000 voted for a waterway will do everything but build the locks," says Mr. Cooley. "We can ascertain within a year's time whether there is hope of government co-operation. I have no doubt that congress will assist us. I believe that the co-operation of congress is more certain than that we will secure the passage of a bill through the present legislature. After the report of the engineers in 1905 a bill introduced in congress was defeated ingloriously on the theory that Chicago wanted to take water out of the lake for water power. I apprehend that when the people of Illinois voted for an amendment they voted for a waterway and not for water power. If we insist upon working chiefly for the power we will kill the waterway to the gulf. Then, the cost of the construction of a waterway has been underestimated. Before the waterway can be built $7,500,000 must be added to the $20,000,000."

The "coat room padrone" is the magnate of the latest industry to be "syndicated," to gather in the tips at theater and hotel cloak rooms. Investigations of the state superintendent of employment agencies have revealed the syndicate control of most of the privileges of this sort in Chicago, which secures a golden reward from the flood of dimes and quarters not get a cent of the money, it appears, but receive a meager weekly which stream in every day. The boys or old men who receive the tips do salary, while the misdirected generosity of the patrons all goes into the pockets of the syndicate.

In this case the syndicate consists largely of one man, who has handsome offices down town. Here the receipts are turned in each day and accounted for and wages are paid at the end of the week, while from here the manager sets out in a large automobile on his rounds of inspection. When managers of some of the hotels and theaters were questioned about this, they admitted the existence of the system, but declared it was legitimate. Superintendent Cruden, of the state bureau of employment agencies, announced that the business was being investigated by his officers, however, with a view to discovering violation of the state employment agency laws.

A similar system, affecting the bootblack stands of the city was discovered a year or two ago, the concessions all being practically in the hands of a naturalized Greek, who has become wealthy from the nickels turned in by his agents.

KROENCKE'S NEW DEPARTMENT STORE

Introductory Sale Continues

I have had the two store buildings at 210 and 212 West Second Street thoroughly remodeled into one big store and have filled it with a choice and up-to-date stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries and Notions. This stock is new, clean and fresh. No old or shelf-worn goods. It was bought for cash at good discounts and I can sell to you for less money in many instances than you have to pay for shelf-worn goods elsewhere.

4⅞c Per Yard——Simpson or Columbia Standard Prints Calico——4⅞c

Shirt Waists



$1.00 SHIRT WAISTS, 39c.

$1.00 values in the newest thing in shirt waists, with the new Dutch collar ... 39c

$1.50 values in shirt waists during this sale 98c

$1.75 values in shirt waists during this sale 1.19

$2.00 values in shirt waists during this sale 1.39

$3 shirt waists, exceptional value for money 1.98

Embroidery Special

8 1-3c and 10c Embroidery 5c

15c and 20c Embroidery 10c

10c and 15c insertion 7½c

35c extra wide Embroidery 19c

35c Corset Cover Embroidery 19c

65c Corset Cover Embroidery 39c

Lace Bargains

15c quality all-linen Torchon Lace, 5 inches wide 5c

15c quality German Val Lace, 6 inches wide 5c

Insertion to match above 5c

SPECIAL BARGAINS

25c quality new striped Plisse Francais 16⅔c

35c quality Swiss Appliques for 25c

15c quality new Silk Embroidered Organdies 10c

20c quality new Silk Embroidered Organdies, linen shades 15c

50c quality China Silk, new store price 35c

35c quality Table Linen, new store price 25c

50c quality Table Linen, new store price 39c

20c quality Table Oil Cloth, all colors, great bargains 15c

5c Apron Check Gingham ... 3⅞c

6½c Apron Check Gingham .. 4⅞c

8 1-3c Amoskeag Gingham .. 6½c

7½c Dress Gingham 3⅞c

8 1-3c Dress Gingham 4⅞c

10c Dress Gingham 7½c

12½c Dress Gingham 8 1-3c

Petticoat Sale

$1.50 quality Heatherbloom Petticoats, sale price 98c

$2.00 quality Heatherbloom Petticoats, sale price 1.49

Large Sample Line of Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Beautiful Garments at Less Than Manufacturers' Cost. Ask to See Them.

Spring Clothing

In this department we have a full line of new and up-to-date Clothing, which includes all the latest styles for spring and summer wear. To introduce this excellent line we quote the following reductions:

$17.50 Men's Suits 12.50

$20.00 Men's Suits 15.00

$25.00 Men's Suits 17.50

$2.00 Men's Woolen Pants.. $1.25

$3.00 Men's Woolen Pants.. $2.00

$5.00 Men's Woolen Pants.. $3.50

A complete line of children's Clothing and boys' Suits at a big reduction.

75c Men's Shirts, 35c

75c and 50c quality men's Madras Dress Shirts, new store price 35c

60c and 50c quality men's Work Shirts, new store price 39c

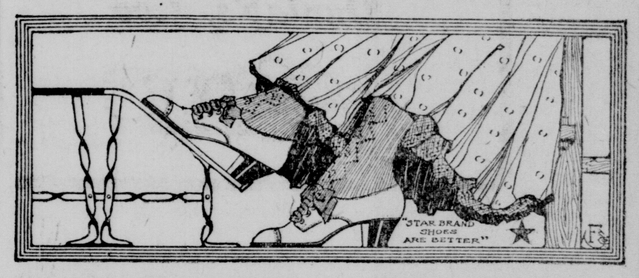
75c quality men's Overalls 49c

$1.00 values in men's Overalls 85c

500 pairs men's sample Gloves at less than manufacturers' cost.

Star Brand Shoes

We have a complete stock of the celebrated "Star Brand of Shoes. If you have worn a pair of these Shoes you know what great values they are for the money. If you have not, be sure and get a pair in this sale and find out what real Shoe comfort means.



White Goods Sale

8 1-3c India Linen 4⅞c

12½c India Linen 9c

15c India Linen 10c

20c India Linen 12½c

25c India Linen 15c

30c India Linen 19c

12c quality Dimity 8 1-3c

15c quality Dimity 10c

20c quality Dimity 15c

25c quality new striped Dimity 15c

Muslin Offerings

7½c yard-wide bleached Muslin 4⅞c

8 1-3c yard-wide bleached Muslin 6½c

9c yard-wide bleached Muslin 7½c

12½c yard-wide bleached Muslin 9c

36-inch unbleached Domestic 4c

Grocery Department

10c can Concordia Tomatoes ...	7½c	10c Seeded Raisins, per pkg....	7½c
10c can best Corn	7½c	10c loose Raisins, per pound....	7½c
10c can best Apples	7½c	10c best Prunes, per pound	7½c
10c can select Peas	7½c	10c Peaches, per pound	7½c

Highest Market Price Paid for Country Produce of all Kinds.

Headquarters For Fresh Country Butter and Eggs.

NEW STORE NEW GOODS
STRICTLY CASH

H. H. KROENCKE

210-212 WEST SECOND STREET.

New Store! New Goods!
New Prices! Strictly Cash!

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

National Stock Yards, Ill., May 4.—Cattle receipts 3,000, of which ninety loads were natives. The market opened up strong and active, but later weakened and closed about 10c lower on all kinds. Quite a few good cattle were on sale, the best consisting of two cars averaging 1515 pounds and selling at $6.85; others averaged 1451 pounds and sold to $6.70, and quite a few around $6.50. Choice 633-pound heifers in full loads sold at $6.75, and several loads sold between $6.00 and $6.50. Cows sold up to $5.50, and bulls up to $5.35. Very few stockers and feeders on sale; market strong. Milkers strong, bulk selling at $45 to $55. Veal calves strong; top, $7.25.

Hog receipts 10,000; market 5 to 10c higher; top, $7.45. Bukl of all the hogs, $7.25 to $7.40. Mixed and butchers, $7.25 to $7.40; good heavies, $7.35 to $7.45; mixed packing $7.15 to $7.40. Good pigs, $6.50 to $6.75, light pigs, $5.00@5.75. Prospects strong for the balance of the week.

Sheep receipts, $2,500; market strong to 15c higher on good to choice lambs; sheep, 10 to 15c higher. Good to choice lambs sold at $7.25 to $7.75; fair $6.75 to $7.00; good to choice sheep, $5.50 to $6.00; good to choice spring lambs, $7.00 to $9.00. Prospects favorable for the balance of the week on good fat kinds.—National Live Stock Commission Co.

GRAFTERS GET SENTENCES

One, a Former Pittsburg Bank President, Gets 1½ Years and Fine.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 5.—Sentences were imposed today on seven persons recently convicted of municipal graft in this city.

W. W. Ramsey, a former bank president, convicted of bribery, was given 1½ years in prison and fined $1,000. John F. Klein, councilman, was sentenced to 3½ years and fined $1,000. Joseph C. Wasson, William Brand, H. M. Bolger, Charles Colbert and John Colbert all received sentences of from 1½ to two years in prison.

Any Banditti in Our Town?

Whenever numerous troops of banditti, multiplied by success and impunity, publicly defy, instead of eluding, the justice of their country, we may safely infer that the excessive weakness of the government is felt and abased by the lowest ranks of the community.—Edward Gibbon.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well.—Arlington Pharmacy.

LAMINE ITEMS.

Lamine, Mo., May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. eBn Kahrs, of Clifton City, and Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ellis and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Norris.

Mrs. J. J. Ball and daughters, Misses Bessie and Helen, were in Sedalia Thursday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirk, of Chicago, Ill., arrived Sunday morning for a few weeks' visit with Mr. Kirks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Kirk.

Litte Miss Winifred Baker is very ill with tonsilitis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis were in Sedalia Monday, shopping.

Misses Naomi Baker and Ruby King and Messrs. Clarence Hudson and Will DeWitt attended services at Memorial Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schibi spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Norris.

Little Miss Clemantine Schibi is spending a few days this week at the home of her uncle, Vick Schibi.

Closing of Camp Branch School.

Miss Julia Sullivan closed a successful eight months' term of school at the Camp Branch school last Friday, April 30, quite a number of the patrons and friends of the school being present.

The morning was spent in class recitations, and at noon a sumptuous dinner was served by the ladies of the neighborhood, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

During the afternoon there was a ciphering and spelling bee, many of those present taking part, which rendered the evening more enjoyable.

The day's program was closed by recitations and music.

Miss Sullivan is to be congratulated upon the success she has won in conducting the school, and her many friends trust that when the Camp Branch school bell again sends forth its notes of welcome on the air, that she will again be at the helm to guide the ship aright.

HORSE AND BUGGY STOLEN

Will Rector Reported Outfit's Disappearance to Police.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Will Rector, a liveryman, reported to the police Saturday night the disappearance of a brown horse and buggy, which was rented from him by a stranger Friday morning.

Up to a late hour last night the stranger had not returned with the outfit and the assistance of the police was enlisted to locate it.

The stranger rented the team from Mr. Rector with the understanding that he was going to drive south of town to take a horse to pasture. At evening he did not return, neither did he make his appearance Saturday.

Will Pay the Costs.

(From Monday's Daily.)

City Attorney Blain today withdrew two motions to quash the levy and retax the costs in the two cases.

When the costs are paid the roller will be released from the sheriff's hands.

Arrangements have been made by the city of Sedalia to pay the costs accruing from the cases of Hub Greer and George Wallace and as a result the levy on the city's willapus-wallapus will be withdrawn.

Will Play at Pleasant Hill.

The Star Grocery company's baseball team, managed by Frank Helsley, will go to Pleasant Hill Sunday to cross bats with the team of that place.

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For 30 days we will give One Nice Frame Absolutely Free with each Dozen Cabinet Photographs.

C. Williams about this QUICK!

317 OHIO STREET.

When You Think



Of the pain which many women experience with every month it makes the gentleness and kindness always associated with womanhood seem to be almost a miracle. While in general no woman rebels against what she regards as a natural necessity there is no woman who would not gladly be free from this recurring period of pain.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well, and gives them freedom from pain. It establishes regularity, subdues inflammation, heals ulceration and cures female weakness.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter, *free*. All correspondence strictly private and sacredly confidential. Write without fear and without fee to World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y.

If you want a book that tells all about woman's diseases, and how to cure them at home, send 21 one-cent stamps to Dr. Pierce to pay cost of mailing *only*, and he will send you a *free* copy of his great thousand-page illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser—revised, up-to-date edition, in paper covers. In handsome cloth-binding, 31 stamps.



Your Straw Hat Is Ready

In our show window you will see the most complete range of 1909 Style Straw Hats—stop a moment as you pass the big Ohio Street window and select your favorite style—also if you have a little time come and try it on—**It's not too early.**

Panamas, 5.00 to 7.50
Hopkins, 1.50 to 3.50
Dunlap's, 5.00

St. Louis Clo. Co.
Outfitters for Men and Women.



TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Latest Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

Grain Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade Building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 20 cars; corn, 13 cars; oats, 5 cars.

Wheat market—One-half to 1 cent higher. No. 2, $1.36½@1.42; No. 3, $1.34@1.40; No. 2 red, $1.52½@1.55½; No. 3 red, $1.50@1.51. Futures—May, $1.30; July, $1.08; Sept, $1.00. Dec., 98⅜c.

Corn market—One-fourth to one-half cent higher. No. 2 white, 73c; No. 2 yellow, 73½@74c; No. 2 mixed, 73c. Futures—May, 71c; July, 67⅞c; Sept., 64⅜c; Dec., 54c.

Oats market—Unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 53½@54½c; No. 2 white, 56½@57½c.

Live Stock Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Campbell Bros. & Rosson Live Stock Commission Co., stock brokers.

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 1,000; hogs, 17,000.

Cattle market—Active and steady. Best corn fed cattle, $6.40@6.90; medium corn fed cattle, $5.60@5.90; grass cattle weighing 1200 and upwards, $6.25@6.80; feeders, heavy, $5.00@5.50; light, $4.75@5.00; stockers, $4.50@5.00; cows, best, $5.00@5.60; medium, $4.50@5.25; heifers, best, $5.85@6.40; medium, $5.00@5.65; stock heifers, $3.85@4.25; stock calves, $4.65; veal calves, $6.00@7.00.

Hog market—Steady, 5@10c lower. Top, $7.35; bulk, $6.80@7.30. Choice heavy, over 250 pounds, $7.15@7.35; choice prime, over 200 pounds, $7.00@7.30; choice light, over 100 pounds, $6.25@7.00.

SEDALIA MARKETS.

Lard, per lb	10c to 11c
Geese	8c
Potatoes, per bu	65c to 75c
Butter, per lb	20c to 25c
Eggs, per doz	15c

Cereals and Breadstuffs.

Hard wheat flour, per cwt	$3.40
Soft wheat flour, per cwt	$3.10
Graham flour per cwt	$3.00
Chops, per cwt	$1.50
Bran, per cwt	$1.30
Corn, per bushel	80c
Wheat, per bushel	$1.20

Poultry.

Ducks	5c
Hens	12c
Turkeys	10c
Roosters	3½c

MEAD STILWELL DEAD

Was at One Time Superintendent of Missouri Pacific Here.

Meade Stilwell, years ago superintendent for the Missouri Pacific railway in this city, died Monday night at the home of his daughter in the New England states, aged 65 years.

Mrs. Stilwell died six weeks ago.

Deceased leaves besides his daughter, a son, Thomas, living in Boston.

Since severing relations with the railroad world Mr. Stilwell had been connected with the waterworks at Seymour, Ind. He was also mayor of that town.

He has a circle of warm friends in Sedalia, who will speak a kind word in memory of his career in the Queen City.

Many weak, nervous women have been restored to health by Foley's Kidney Remedy as it stimulates the kidneys so they will eliminate the waste matter from the blood. Impurities depress the nerves, causing nervous exhaustion and other ailments. Commence today and you will soon be well. Pleasant to take.—Arlington Pharmacy.

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR BIG BEN.

Circuit Court Docket Entries.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The following entries were made on the docket in circuit court today:

R. A. Higdon vs. Frank Jackson et al., attorney fees; judgment for plaintiff for $12.50 against Frank Jackson and Mary J. Jackson and James T. Montgomery, sureties.

Thomas W. Goodnight vs. Amos Brill et al., to define and quiet title; decree for plaintiff.

Flora Fults vs. Judia Jones et al., partition; decree as prayed for.

Euphratus vs. Winston Howell, divorce; decree for plaintiff and maiden name Euphratus Youse, restored.

Hoarseness, bronchitis and other throat troubles are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar as it soothes and heals the inflamed throat and bronchial tubes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar.—Arlington Pharmacy.

Hearing Arguments Today.

Kansas City, Mo., May 5.—The Missouri railroad rate cases again came up for consideration in the federal court here today when Judge Smith McPherson heard arguments for a permanent injunction to restrain the state courts and state officials from interfering in the litigation.

May Not Adjourn Before July.

Washington, May 5.—President Taft has come to the conclusion, as a result of talks with senators and members of the house during the past two days, that there is little or no chance for the adjournment of congress before June 15 or July 1st.

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR BIG BEN.

SEVERAL DEALS IN DIRT

TRANSFERS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN BOTH THE CITY AND COUNTY.

WHAT THE COUNTY RECORDS SHOW

Deeds That Have Been Filed in the Office of Recorder Morey During the Week Ending May 4, 1909.

The following transfers of realty have been filed for record:

C. T. Noble to W. T. Wallace, wd., property southwest corner Fifteenth and Brown streets, $1, and other considerations.

C. T. Noble to W. T. Wallace, wd., property south side of Fifteenth street, between Montgomery and Brown streets, $1, and other considerations.

C. T. Noble to W. T. Wallace, wd., property south side of Fifteenth street, between Montgomery and Brown streets, $1, and other considerations.

C. T. Noble to W. T. Wallace, wd., property east side of Massachuetts street, near Thirteenth street, $1, and other considerations.

C. T. Noble to W. T. Wallace, wd., property southwest corner of Eleventh street and Ingram avenue, $1, and other considerations.

Fred Helm and wife to Robert McCluney, wd., property northwest corner of Fourth street and Barrett avenue, $325.

E. C. White and wife to Lucian L. Brewington, wd., property south side of Fourteenth street, between Montgomery and Brown streets, $250.

Eliza S. Page to Lucian L. Brewington, wd., property south side of Fourteenth street, between Montgomery and Brown streets, $1,000.

Thomas J. Everhart and wife to J. E. Coin, wd., tract of land of about 14 acres, more or less, in Cedar twp., $1,000.

J. E. Bagby and wife to Sallie C. Critchlow wd., property in the town of Green Ridge, $150.

John W. Hogan and wife to Porter Real Estate Co., wd., property southeast corner of Eleventh and Marvin streets, $1, and other considerations.

J. P. Collins, trustee, to Fannie L. Sallaway, wd., property in the town of Smithton, $175.

Henry A. and David E. Longan, wd., 79 acres of land in Houstonia twp. $4,500.

A. W. Chatham and wife to R. E. Guthrie, wd., property in the town of Lamonte, $400.

F. L. Farley and wife to A. J. Perry, wd., property west side of Grand avenue, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets, $200.

William A. Sickler and wife to Charles Sickler, qcd., property in the town of Green Ridge, $100.

Henry S. Demand and wife to Ed H. Schlotzhauer, wd., 10 acres of land in Smithton twp., $250.

Anna S. Carpenter and husband to Frederick William Hausgen and wife wd., lot south side of Sixth street, between Quincy and Park avenues, $800.

E. Jennie Morey et al to Henry and Annie E. Montgomery, wd., 10 acres of land in Sedalia twp., south of city limits, $1,100.

Henry Viets and wife to John Zimmerschied, wd., 20 acres of land in Lake Creek twp., $500.

Garrett H. Perdue to Alice E. Perdue, wd., 55 acres of land and undivided one-sixth in 480 of land in Elk Fork twp., and also undivided one-sixth interest in property southwest corner of Seventh street and Washington avenue, $3,500.

William A. Stuart et al to W. H. and Mattie Robinson Berry, wd., property northeast cornor of Morgan street and Barrett avenue, $1,200.

A. W. Winzenbeg and wife to Henry Winzenberg, wd., property east side of Montgomery street, south of M., K. & T. railway, $1,400.

A CARD.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package.—Arlington Pharmacy.

Was Awarded Divorce Today.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Mrs. Ella Brown was granted a divorce from Felix Brown and was awarded the custody of her infant daughter, Alice Kate Brown, by Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman this afternoon.

Quality before quantity is our aim. Pictures that others don't sell is what we claim. Even post cards have quality just the same.—At West's Book Shop.

SENSATIONAL DRESS GOODS SALE

Three Days Sale — Three Days Sale

3- THREE DAYS ONLY -3

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"THE STORE THAT UNDERSELLS"

COR. 4TH AND OHIO ST., SEDALIA, MO.

BOTH PHONES 138.

Our ever increasing stock of merchandise, bought from eastern manufacturers and importers at lowest **Spot Cash** prices, are rushing in on every train, and we need **room,** more **room.** In order to do this, we will give you, commencing **Thursday morning,** and continuing throughout the week, a **THREE DAYS** Slaughter Sale on **Dress Goods.** These will be sold at prices never heard of before. Note every item carefully.

Light weight Cravenettes, 52 inches; light, tan and green mixtures; just the thing for suits —worth $1.50 or your money back **79c**

52 inch Shadow Plaids and fancy mixtures; worth $1.50 or your money back **69c**

52 inch Panamas in grays and mixed colors; worth $1.00 or your money back **69c**

44 inch wool Berage, in light, tan and gray mixed; worth 89c or your money back **49c**

46 inch light gray mixtures with hair-line checks; worth $1.00 or your money back **49c**

Navy blue shadow checked panama, extra good; worth $1.25 or your money back **63c**

Navy blue fancy panama, the thing for suits and skirts; worth $1.00 or your money back **59c**

French voile, black only; the best quality; worth $1.25 or your money back **69c**

Black panama, best quality, with white hair-line checks; worth $1.25 or your money back **59c**

Fancy black voile, in stripe or burnette, all wool; worth $1.50 and $1.00 or your money back **39c**

Mixed and fancy mohair 46 inches, all colors; worth $1.00 or your money back **39c**

Large line of fancy mixtures, all colors; worth 69c and 50c or your money back **29c**

Fancy wool mixtures, good quality; worth 50c or your money back **19c**

Fancy suitings, mixed and plaids; worth 25c or your money back **12½c**

Specials—10c dress gingham **5c**

Specials—10c percale, black ground, white figured **5c**

Specials—8½c percale remnants, solid colors **3½c**

Specials—One lot wrappers, worth $1.00 and 75c, to clean up for **25c**

Specials—Clark's O. N. T. spool cotton, per spool **1c**

THREE DAYS' SALE.

We guarantee a saving from 25 to 50 per cent on all ready to wear goods. The finest line in the city.

Silk and wool Eolean's and Lansdown's evening shades; worth $1.25 or your money back **63c**

Silk and wool Eoleans, reseda green and light gray; worth $1.00 or your money back **49c**

French voile, cream color, extra fine quality; worth $1.25 or your money back **69c**

French voile, cream ground with tan and black hair-line checks; worth $1.00 or your money back **49c**

Fancy broken plaids in beautiful colorings; worth $1.00 or your money back **49c**

Cream serge with black checks; worth 59c or your money back **33c**

Batiste, in light blue, light gray and reseda green; worth 40c or your money back **24c**

SILKS! SILKS!!

36 inch all silk pongee, extra fine quality; worth $1.25 or your money back **89c**

Extra fine foulards, large line; worth 89c or your money back **47c**

Best quality of Rajah silk, easily worth 75c or your money back **47c**

China crepe, fancy patterns in tan and lilac; worth 59c or your money back **39c**

Crepe de Chine, all colors, extra quality; worth $1.00 or your money back **59c**

Crepe de Chine, same as above; worth 75c or your money back **47c**

Pliss'e Francais, the latest in spring dress goods, at special price **17½c**

100 black spun glass petticoats, bought for quick sales, worth 98c; while they last **49c**

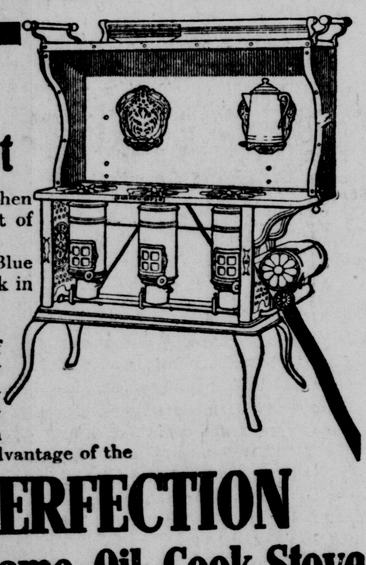
100 black petticoats, extra good quality, shirred and eyelet embroidered ruffle; cheap at $1.50; while they last **98c**

$1.00 black petticoats, extra good value, 19 inch flounce, shirred and trimmed with three ruffles; $1.98 quality; they won't last long at **98c**

The combined buying power of our three stores makes it possible to undersell all competition.

THREE DAYS' SALE.

Plan for Summer Comfort



Don't add the heat of a kitchen fire to the sufficient discomfort of hot weather.

Use a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove and cook in comfort.

With a "New Perfection" Oil Stove the preparation of daily meals, or the big weekly "baking," is done without raising the temperature perceptibly above that of any other room in the house. Another great advantage of the

NEW PERFECTION Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

is its handsome CABINET TOP, which gives it every convenience of the modern steel range. Has an ample top shelf for warming plates and keeping cooked food hot, drop shelves for holding small cooking utensils, and is even fitted with racks for towels. Made in three sizes, and can be had with or without Cabinet Top. If not at your dealer's address our nearest agency.



The *Rayo Lamp* gives perfect combustion whether high or low—is therefore free from disagreeable odor and cannot smoke. Safe, convenient, ornamental—the ideal light. If not at your dealer's address our nearest agency.

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The PERFECTION STOVES and RAYO LAMPS

And All Repairs For Same Can Be Had At **SID CONDICT'S** 307 OHIO ST., SEDALIA, MO.

BEAMAN ITEMS.

Beaman, Mo., May 3.

Miss Effie Green and Miss Della Dinwiddie closed a successful term of school here Friday, and returned to their respective homes near Smithton.

Quite a few of the boys from here went to the Queen City Saturday night.

The Sunday school at Olive Branch is improving, as it was largely attended Sunday afternoon. Everybody is invited to come.

Communion will be held next Sunday at Olive Branch church. Every member is expected to come, is possible.

Quite a crowd of young people attended the singing at Miss Della Forbes' Sunday night, and all had an enjoyable time.

Mr and Mrs. N. H. Lee spent Sunday with J. B. Dinwiddie and wife.

Mr. Rob Greer, who has been out in Iowa for the past month, returned home Saturday night.

There will be a lecture given at Olive Branch church next Saturday night by the pastor, Rev. W. E. Hudson. Everybody invited to come.

Once!

"I console myself," said the fellow I knew, "with the knowledge that when I was a baby there were some people who thought I was a very handsome baby."

Still Keeping It Up.

Higginsville, Mo., May 5.—Edward Payson Weston, the aged pedestrian who is walking across the continent, left here at 7:30 this morning, after having rested but five hours. He arrived here from Slater, Mo., a distance of forty-one miles, at 2 o'clock this morning. He is in excellent condition, and hopes to reach Kansas City, fifty-four miles away, tonight.

Read This.

Sedalia, Mo. This certifies I have sold Halls Texas Wonder for kidney bladder and rheumatic trouble for years. I recommend it to be the best kidney medicine I have ever sold. Sixty days treatment for $1.—Dan Wilcox.

Is Thought to Be Insane.

F. J. Barrow, aged 37 years, of Willisville, Ill., was taken in custody by Fred Robertson, assistant chief of police last night, and now occupies quarters in the city jail, pending investgation as to his sanity.

Barrow has been an inmate of an Illinois asylum and came to Sedalia from Windsor, Mo., yesterday. He labors under the fear that some one will harm him.

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR BIG BEN.

SPRING FORK ITEMS.

Spring Fork, Mo., May 4.

Johnnie McGinley, of Sedalia, who has been spending a few days at the home of D. Donohue, returned to Sedalia Friday.

Dr. Dyer, of Sedalia, was called to this section on professional business one day the past week.

Mrs. J. W. Coffey spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. McGee.

The charivari of John Brengus, blacksmith at Spring Fork, and wife, was well attended, there being about twenty in number and they were well equipped for noise.

This section was visited Thursday by a rain, hail and wind storm. Considerable damage was done by the wind.

G. W. Rider, wife and daughter, made a business trip to Sedalia Friday.

Miss Ethel Bluhm, of Mora, spent Sunday with Miss Gussie Rider.

Elmer Garrett, of near Sedalia, spent Sunday afternoon in this section.

Clarence and Ray Dump, Fred Riecke, Miss Edna Wultz and John Stalhut, of Sedalia, spent last Sunday at the home of Max Riecke.

The dance at Louie Garkins last Saturday night was well attended, and all reported a good time.

J. O. DeHaven's sister, of near Hughesville, is here spending a few days.

WALL PAPER AT COST

I have a lot of high-grade, two-tone Wall Papers for dined walls. Also a lot of remnants which I will sell at cost the next few days. My stock of regular goods was never better than now. I will open your eyes on prices, and that is what you want. Remember, Yours for your own good,

E. E. McCLELLAN

Bell Hello 329. 314 Ohio St.

MAJOR STARTED THINGS

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL WANTS RAILROADS' CHARTERS FORFEITED.

ALLEGES THAT CONSPIRACY NOW EXISTS

Charges Sixteen Lines With Having Violated the Anti-Trust Laws of the State of Missouri—Set for Hearing June 1.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 5.—The railroad rate controversy took another twist last night, when Attorney General Major filed quo warranto proceedings in the supreme court of Missouri to oust sixteen Missouri roads from the state, or to heavily fine them, for entering into an alleged combination or conspiracy to put ineffect an unlawful rate on passenger and freight traffic. There are two counts in the suit. One is leveled at the alleged conspiracy and agreement as to passenger rates; the other has to do with freight rates. An alternative writ was made returnable to the court in banc on June 1.

This action is, according to the attorney general, the result of the railroads attempting to return to the 3-cent passenger fare following Federal Judge McPherson's decision that the passenger and freight rate laws were confiscatory and unconstitutional.

Relative to the action, Attorney General Major said:

"The information in quo warranto filed today in the supreme court is to forfeit the charters or license of the principal railroads in Missouri or in lieu thereof to fine each of them for violating the constitution and anti-trust laws of the state by having entered into a conspiracy to fix and control both passenger and freight rates, thus avoiding free, open and independent competition between competing lines.

"When the return is made the court will appoint a commissioner to hear evidence in support of the charges. In Kansas City tomorrow I will file a demurrer in the case in the federal court in which the roads restrained Circuit Attorney Jones, of St. Louis, and others, from prosecuting the suit instituted in St. Louis."

Circuit Attorney Seebert G. Joses yesterday afternoon filed a motion in Judge Williams' division of the circuit court to dismiss the injunction suits brought by him against the St. Louis & San Francisco, the St. Louis, Kansas City and Colorado, and the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroads. The motion was filed because of the recent announcement that these roads had put into effect the 2½-cent passenger rate. Cases against the Gould line railroads, the Santa Fe and the Kansas and Texas are still pending.

Attorney General Major's suit is against the Missouri Pacific and St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern, the St. Louis Southwestern; St. Louis & San Francisco, the Kansas City Southern; Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield, Quincy, Omaha & Kansas City, Missouri, Kansas & Texas, St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Chicago & Alton, Chicago Great Western, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, St. Joseph & Grand Island, Wabash, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe.

The attorney general said: "About the only effect the St. Louis suit has had has been to hamper and interfere with the business of the attorney general's department."

Governor Hadley declined to discuss the suit of the attorney general, except to wish him well. Of the attorney general's reference to his St. Louis injunction proceeding the governor said last night: "I regret that the attorney general does not seem to like the St. Louis suit any better than the railroad companies do."

High-Priced Havana Cigars.

Havana cigars quoted at five dollars each were recently shown at a London tobacco exposition.

We Welcome Critical Eyes



Our Bargain Basement is filled with Honest Shoes at prices for quick selling.

Satisfaction Goes With Every Shoe

Women's 3.50 Shoes and Oxfords	2.48
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Women's 2.00 Shoes and Oxfords for	1.29
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QUINN BROS.

BARGAIN BASEMENT.

WORK ON THE BIG CANAL

IS SATISFACTORY TO THE MEMBERS OF THE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

THEY HAVE RETURNED FROM THEIR VISIT

Sea Level Advocates Now Say That They Are Converted to the Lock Type—The Ocean Tides Did the Work.

New York, May 4.—Twenty-six representatives, members of a special congressional committee, sent to Panama by President Taft to report on the progress of the work on the canal, arrived in New York yesterday on the Panama. Representative J. A. Goulden, of the Bronx, chairman of the committee, said that with a few exceptions all the members had been agreeably surprised with the progress of the work.

"Many of us were of the opinion when we left for the canal on April 14 that the sea level plan was more desirable than the lock project," said Mr. Goulden. "A week's study of the conditions, however, changed our opinions, and we are to report that the plan decided upon by President Taft is the greater of the two.

"Every assurance was given to us by the engineers in the canal zone that the foundations of the Gatum dam would prove more than strong enough to hold the load. These foundations are at a depth of 180 feet, and in some places more than that. Estimates by our experts show that to change the plan of construction from the lock to the sea level plan would entail an additional cost of $200,000,000. Also, it would delay the completion of the canal for ten years beyond the date now set by the engineers for the work to be finished. The canal will be completed inside of five years, we believe."

Representative H. F. Conroy, of New York, said that the principal objection to the sea level plan was the action of the tide.

"The tide rises to a height of twenty feet on the Pacific side of the isthmus," he said, "while the rise on the opposite side is several feet less and at different times of day and night. I was a strong supporter of the sea level scheme until these facts were made clear to me by personal investigation. These conditons were convincing in my mind, and I now believe also that there is no reason for fear from the Gatum dam."

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Jurors for June Term Drawn.

The county court late Tuesday allowed the criminal fee bills for April, amounting to $1,223.85, also fee bills to the amount of $359.45, which had been held up from the March bills for investigation.

The following jurors for the June term of court were drawn:

Heath Creek—Thomas Alexander.
Longwood—Lee Lower.
Houstonia—F. H. Tuck.
Blackwater—Ernest Lee.
Lamonte—D. J. Connor, jr.
Dresden—W. F. Wheaton.
Cedar—T. J. DeJarnette.
Bowling Green—Forest Baker.
Smithton—M. D. Norton.
Prairie—W. C. Ewers.
Elk Fork—S. A. Kendrick.
Green Ridge—A. H. Gorrell.
Washington—F. C. Binder.
Flat Creek—J. W. Hicks.
Lake Creek—Louis Ochs.
Hughesville—Frank Hieronymus.
Sedalia—George M. Williams, W. H. Ritchey, Con McHugh, George Kahrs, Joseph M. Herrick, Walter Brill, Peter Kahrs and Thomas Mason Pemberton.

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR BIG BEN.

A GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kemp Will Celebrate at Their Home in Dresden.

W. J. Kemp and family, W. O. Kemp and family, H. L. Shacklett and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Kemp and D. M. Guthrie went to Dresden this morning to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kemp, which is being celebrated today at their home, three miles south of Dresden.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp have lived at the present location for forty-five years. They have six living and six dead children, and all of the living children, with the exception of a son, C. T. Kemp, residing at Lima, Mont., will attend the celebration.

The children present are: W. O. Kemp, Sedalia; H. C. Kemp, Dresden; Mrs. Ida Stine, Dresden; W. J. Kemp, Sedalia, and Mrs. H. L. Shacklett, Sedalia.

Mrs. Kemp was before her marriage Miss Mary Herndon. She and Mr. Kemp were married south of Calhoun exactly fifty years ago today.

The celebrants were handsomely remembered with a number of beautiful gold presents.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE BIG BEN.

SOUTH'S STARS AND BARS

GENERAL CABELL TELLS HOW THE DESIGN OF FLAG ORIGINATED.

SUCCEEDED A BADGE OF RED FLANNEL

It Was Ordered as a Battle Standard By Generals Johnston and Beauregard—Made From Women's Silk Skirts.

Ardmore, Ok., May 4.—The preparations now being made throughout the south for the annual reunion of Confederate Veterans at Memphis during June makes of unusual interest at the present time a statement made a number of years ago by Gen. W. L. Cabell, of Dallas, Texas, in regard to how and where the "stars and bars" of the Confederacy were designed. Gen. Cabell is commander of the trans-Mississippi department of the United Confederate Veterans. He declares the following to be a true history of the flag:

"When the Confederate army, commanded by Gen. Beauregard, and the Federal army confronted each other at Manassas, it was seen that the Confederate flag and the Stars and Stripes looked at a distance so much alike that it was hard to distinguish one from another. Gen. Beauregard, after the battle of the 18th of July, at Blackburn Ford, ordered that a small red badge should be worn on the left shoulder by our troops, and as I was chief quartermaster, ordered me to purchase a large quantity of red flannel and to distribute it to each regiment.

During the battle of Bull Run it was plain to be seen that a large number of Federal soldiers wore a similar red badge. Gen. Johnston and Gen. Beauregard met at Fairfax court house, in the latter part of August or early September, and determined to have a battleflag for every regiment or detached command.

"Gen. Johnston's flag was in the shape of an ellipse—a red flag with blue St. Andrew's cross and stars on the cross (white) to represent the different southern states. (No white border of any kind was attached to the cross.) Gen. Beauregard's was a rectangle red, with blue St. Andrew's cross and white stars, similar to Gen. Johnston's.

"After we had discussed fully the two styles, taking into consideration the cost of material and the care of making the same, it was decided the elliptical flag would be harder to make; that it would take more cloth and it could not be seen so plainly at a distance; that the rectangular flag, drawn by and suggested by Gen. Beauregard, should be adopted. Gen. Johnston yielded at once.

Women Contributed Silk Skirts.

"No one else was present but we three. No one knew about this flag but we three until an order was issued adopting the Beauregard flag, as it was called, and directing me, as chief quartermaster, to have the flag made as soon as it could be done. I immediately issued an address to the good ladies of the south to give me their red and blue silk dresses and to send them to Capt. Colin McRae Selph, quartermaster at Richmond, Va. (Capt. Selph is now living in New Orleans), where he was assisted by two elegant young ladies, the Misses Carey, from Baltimore, and Mrs. Henningsen, of Savannah, and Mrs. Hopkins, of Alabama.

"The Misses Carey made battleflags for Gen. Beauregard and Gen. Van Dorn and, I think, for Gen. J. E. Johnston. They made Gen. Beauregard 's out of their own silk dresses. This flag is now in Memorial Hall, New Orleans, La., with a statement of that fact from Gen. Beauregard. Gen Van Dorn's flag was made of heavier material, but very pretty.

"The statement going around that this flag was first designed by federal prisoners is false.

"Gen. Beauregard's battleflag is in Memorial hall at New Orleans, La. The Washington artillery battleflag can be seen at the Washington Artillery hall."

The May White Sales Most Popular Section.

PROBABLY no one section in the store "comes in" for greater praise than the Embroidery Departments—and of all Embroideries offered, Flouncings have first call among knowing ones. Their adaptability for graduation dresses, bridal gowns and summer dresses for all women and children, together with the splendid variety to select from, and low prices in evidence, easily defines the reason.

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Unlimited choice of scores of select patterns 22 to 27-inch flouncings—suitable for the ultra fashionable fancy flounce dresses for women and misses ..... 39c to 3.00 yard

New 17-inch flouncings ..... 50c to 2.50 yard

All the most exquisite and latest importations from Switzerland. Each piece has several widths of bands and edges to match the design perfectly.

Our ensemble of Embroideries was never more complete, and supplement by a recent arrival of NEW EDGES, INSERTIONS, BEADINGS, CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES, WAIST FRONTINGS, ALL-OVERS, ETC., in white, and white with colored embroidery work, in all comprising an import shipment of $1,600 worth of genuine Swiss Embroideries—we believe you have never before been privileged to see such rare beauty and such variety, in such volume as this display involves.

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Abundant variety of all the new styles in Maltese-Cluny hand-made Irish crochet and novelty lace bands—all-overs, plain, dotted and tucked nets, with combinations of Venice—all of which are required in making the novelty silk and linen dresses, and for white graduation gowns.

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THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE

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Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States, Central Division of the Western District of Missouri—In re, Theodore R. Palmer, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of the above named bankrupt of Sedalia, in the county of Pettis, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of April, 1909, the said Theodore R. Palmer was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, 112 West Fourth street, in the city of Sedalia, on the 18th day of May, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. JOHN MONTGOMERY, JR.,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Sedalia, Mo., April 29, 1909.

MANILA ITEMS.

Manila, Mo., May 4.

Miss Maggie Berry was in this neighborhood Monday looking after her music class.

Misses Dinelia Bethard and Emma Heyte spent Sunday evening with Miss Mayme Morgan.

Mrs. C. E. Warren spent Tuesday with Mrs. George Barnes.

The Manila camp, M. W. A., met in regular session Saturday night.

Mrs. R. Whipp and Mrs. C. A. Cunningham were shopping in Ionia Monday evening.

Mr. W. H. Helsey and Mr. M. Durrill were transacting business in th Queen City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Whipp, Misses Etta Riecke, Pearl and Gertrude Atwood and Ella McNutt spent Sunday with R. Mather and family.

The school board has employed Mr. C. W. Bente as teacher for the coming year.

Whereas, William H. Weeds and Sallie Weeds, husband and wife, by a deed of trust dated July 28, 1904, and recorded on the 20th day of August, 1904, in the office of the recorder of deeds of Pettis county, Mo., in book 164, on page 23, conveyed to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a note and interest, in said deed of trust particularly described, the following described real estate, situated in Pettis county, Missouri, to-wit:

A part of the southwest quarter (¼) of section No. three (3), township No forty-five (45), range No. twenty-one (21), to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Lafayette avenue with the north line of Broadway in the city of Sedalia, thence running north with the east line of Lafayette avenue one hundred and twenty (120) feet, thence east parallel with the north line of Broadway to the west boundary line of the Sedalia, Warsaw and Southern Railway company's right of way, thence in a southwesterly direction along the west line of said right of way to the north line of Broadway, thence west with the north line of Broadway street to the beginning.

And, whereas, interest past due and taxes delinquent and the improvements thereon in a dilapidated condition, described and secured by said deed of trust, has not been paid, and, whereas, the owner of said note and coupons has requested me to execute the power vested in me by said deed of trust, to sell said real estate and out of the proceeds of said sale pay the indebtedness secured thereby.

Henry Lamm, trustee, named in said deed of trust, being now out of the county, therefore, in compliance with said request and in pursuance of the power vested in me by said deed of trust, I will sell said real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash on the seventh (7th) day of June, 1909, at the front door of the court house in Pettis county, Mo.

M. T. HENDERSON,
Acting Sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri.

Mr. Poultryman!

Are you one of the many who can hatch chicks but cannot raise them? More chicks die from Bowel Complaint and Cholera than all other diseases combined, and yet these diseases can be prevented and cured by the proper use of

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Its merits are becoming the talk of the town and everybody wants to try it, and why not? It costs nothing if it don't do you good—not one cent.

He doesn't want your money if it does not benefit you, and will cheerfully refund the money. Try it today.

LONGWOOD ITEMS.

Longwood, Mo., May 6.

Dick Curry was trading in town today.

J. S. Jenkins was in town Monday on business.

C. E. Hurt, wife and little daughter, of Houstonia, were visiting at Longwood Saturday and Sunday.

R. N. Lower was in town after seed corn yesterday.

Marvin Barnhill and wife, of Marshall, attended church here Sunday.

C. C. Orear has been in Kansas City several days on business.

J. M. Wilson was in town yesterday, shopping.

Less Sowash was transacting business in town today.

E. D. Orear, who is feeding quite a lot of hogs and cattle, will ship a load of hogs next week that are fine and will average over 300 pounds.

George Walk was in town today on business.

George Anderson of east of Longwood was in town today, getting his corn planter repaired.

R. B. Jenkins and wife attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Taylor visited her mother and sister near High Point today.

Rev. Welburn, of Lamonte, held quarterly meeting here Saturday and Sunday for Presiding Elder Warren, of the Lexington district, and all liked him. Come again, Brother Welburn.

Everyone in this section is pleased over the prospect of getting what is known as the Gentry lane graded and macadamized.

Alex Orear, who has been visiting and keeping store for his brother, C. C. Orear, went fishing today.

Henry and Allie Kuykendall went to Sedalia today with hogs.

Roy E. Taylor and wife, of near Houstonia, are visiting and getting seed corn here today.

DRESDEN ITEMS

Dresden, Mo., May 6.

Earle Wade, of Kansas City, spent Sunday with his parents, J. R. Wade and wife.

Dr. Ferguson and family, of Green Ridge, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

W. H. Settles left Tuesday evening for a short visit in Oklahoma.

George Wilson left Tuesday evening for Colorado, where he will spend the summer.

Miss Ethel Higginbotham left Monday evening for a month's visit in Galveston and Houston, Texas.

Everett Taylor, of St. Louis, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Cora Kemp left Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Claycomb, at Lawton, Okla.

Johnson Brothers shipped two cars of cattle and one car of hogs to the St. Louis market Tuesday.

Attorney W. D. O'Bannon, of Sedalia, was transacting business here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mat Doffing, Mrs. P. L. Wensell and Mrs. W. H. Settles were visiting in Sedalia Wednesday.

C. P. Taylor and family left Wednesday for Tulsa, Okla., where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Taylor is an old citizen of Lamonte, having lived there for forty years, and we are sorry to see him and his family leave, but our loss will be Tulsa's gain and we wish them well in their new home.

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MISSOURI CROP REPORT

SENT BY SECRETARY ELLIS, OF THE STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

AN UNUSUALLY LARGE ACREAGE OF CORN

Wheat Crop Improved 4 Per Cent the Past Month—Too Cold for the Development of Oats, Meadows, Pastures, Etc.

Columbia, Mo., May 3.—The monthly crop report for May, 1909, was made public Saturday by George B. Ellis, secretary of the state board of agriculture, as follows:

Corn—The estimates are for an unusually large acreage of corn this year, especially in the central and western portions of the state, where clover and wheat are especially badly damaged. The condition of the soil, except in a few counties in the south western part of the state, has been too wet and cold, particularly during the last half of April, for the best cultivation. Only 59 per cent of the land is ploughed; the delay in ploughing is greatest in the northeast and northwest sections, and. to some extent, in the southeast section. A number of correspondents in the southwest section report that corn is coming up; however, the weather is so cold that it has retarded germination. Except in the central Ozark region most of the correspondents report that corn that has been planted is coming to a good stand. In the southwestern part of the state more than 84 per cent of the land is ploughed, in. this section the condition of the soil is 92, while the average of the state is only 72. Practically no corn has been planted in the northest section, while more than 47 per cent has been planted in the southwest section, and at the time of mailing the reports 22 per cent of the acreage of the entire state had been planted.

Wheat.—Rains have been favorable to the improvement of wheat in most perts of the state, although an excess of rain in the southeast section has delayed improvement there. and the dry winds and lack of rain in some counties in the southwest section has delayed the improvement there. The average condition for the state on May 1 is 74 per cent, as compared with 70 per cent for last month. Some of the poorest wheat has been ploughed up and planted to other crops thus accounting for some of the improvement in the general average condition.

Oats—Owing to the high price of seed, only about 90 per cent as much oats have been planted this spring as last. It has been rather too cold and wet for the best development of oats. The present condition of the oat crop is 82.

Meadows—The condition of old clover is practically unchanged from last month, the per cent being 74 last month and 73 this month. The new clover is starting only fairly well the condition being 83. All parts of the state are affected to about the same degree.

Alfalfa shows a condition of 88 per cent. This crop, while not as largely used as it should be, is gradually being increased in acreage in the state.

Timothy has shown practically no improvement over last month; the severe winter left this grass in a rather bad condition. The average for last month was 88, as compared with 87 for this month.

Pastures.—The rather cold, late spring has delayed the development of pastures, and they are from one to two weeks behind the normal development for this time of year. All parts of the state are practically the same in percentage, the average being 82 for the state. Pastures being later than usual, the stock went on the pasture in rather poor condition.

Live stock.—A number of correspondents report hog cholera prevalent and a considerable loss among spring pigs. There has also been serious loss with young foals; the loss on this account has been much heavier than usual, and is no doubt due to the fact that on account of the high price of corn the mares have been fed through the winter on hay alone.

Cotton.—The planting of cotton has been delayed by the cold, wet condition of the soil. Only 13 per cent of the crop has been planted, and the indications are for a small decrease in acreage.

Flax.—The condition of flax at the present time is 88. The acreage has decreased about 8 per cent from last year.

OTTERVILLE ITEMS.

Crystal Springs, Mo., May 4.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Reavis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Boots, of near Sedalia.

A crowd from this vicinity attended the commencement exercises given at the M. E. church at Lamonte last Tuesday night by the graduates of the Lamonte High school.

Mrs. William Beech spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. G. Pemberton.

Miss Nona Beech spent Wednesday afternoon with the Misses Nash.

Miss Gladys Herrick spent Sunday with Miss Edna Miller.

Misses Dimple Wimer, Lorena O'Bannon and Edith Reavis spent Saturday and Sunday with Misses Grace and Kate Scotten.

Mrs. A. G. Pemberton spent Friday with Mrs. Sue DeJarnette.

B. H. Nash and daughters, Misses Constance and Saphronia, H. Beech and Arthur McNamara were in the Queen City Friday.

Mr. Will Cook made his usual call in the Pleasant Green neighborhood Sunday evening.

Miss Edith Reavis, of Lamonte, is visiting at the home of her uncle, D H. Reavis.

Miss Ethel Nash visited Friday with her friend, Miss Nona Beech.

Misses Phoebe and Mary McNamara and Minnie Ginder visited Sunday with Miss Marie Herrick.

Mrs. William Beech and daughter, Miss Nona, were shopping in Sedalia Saturday.

Miss Sophronia Nash visited Monday with her friend, Miss Etha Ginter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Herrick spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs Pernell

ENGINEERS DON'T DRINK

RAILROADS NOW INSIST ON SOBRIETY AMONG THEIR EMPLOYES.

MANY MEN SEE THE ADVANTAGE OF IT

Santa Fe Official Tells of the Change That Has Taken Place in the Last Few Years Regarding Habit of Drinking.

Topeka, Kas., May 4.—There is probably not a business where sobriety and temperance is as much demanded as in the operating department of a great railway system. This may appear strange, because the general belief is that railroad men are a happy-go-lucky lot, to whom prohibition is a joke. That may have been the case several years ago, but now the opposite is true. While there may be an occasional case of quiet drinking, yet the great majority of the operating railway employes practice prohibition. Why? Because they know that the men who do not drink are given the preference and their advancement is almost certain.

Many of the men, especially engineers, go even farther than being total abstainers themselves. In several cases they have refused to work with men in the habit of using intoxicants. These men are not what is generally known as "prohibition cranks," but they have studied prohibition from its various angles and now that sobriety is essential to both men in the cab as well as one.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway company is not only strict with regard to the drinking habit, but is doing everything in its power to encourage its employes to keep away from places where intoxicants are sold. Rule 200 of special instructions which every man is required to read says:

"The use of intoxicatng liquors has proved a most fruitful source of trouble to railroads as well as to individuals. The company will exercise the most rigid scrutiny in reference to the habits of employes in this respect. Drinking when on duty or frequenting saloons will not be tolerated, and preference will be given to those who do not drink at all."

"It is noticeable," said Fred C. Fox, general superintendent of the Eastern grand division of the Santa Fe, the change that has taken place in the men in regard to drinking in the last few years. I don't know whether it is the result of the general prohibition wave that is going over the country or not. But I do know that there is less drinking among railroad employes than ever before. Years ago the strict abstainer was looked upon as the man to be marveled at. Today the reverse is true. The strictly sober men are away up yonder in the majority in the railway service.

"The men have been told that men who do not drink at all are given the preference, and they have come to the conclusion that the rule means what it says. The average man, whatever his walk in life is, has an ambition to go ahead. Our men have learned by experience that the rules against drinking mean exactly what they say, and that the non-drinking man will go ahead, where the tipler will not.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE BIG BEN.

The Beautiful Month of May----The World Made New

A new carpet of green covers the earth—the old world made over for Spring—new life everywhere—new clothes everywhere. "Buy several suits & when you feel grumpy, just change your clothes & thus change your mind." Who ever saw a woman grouchy when her dress was new & in fashion?

New Tailored Wash Suits

Trooping in by the fifties, the prettiest company imaginable—snowy white, natural linens, pretty blues in many shades, and all the wanted colorings.

Semi-fitting coats from 30 to 40 inches long—some are plain white, others have touches of color at the neck and wrist. Neat panel gored skirts, specially priced for this GREAT MAY SALE, ranging from $2.98, $4.98, $7.50 and up to $20.00.

May Sale of Household Necessities.

49c yd Pure mercerized linen damask 68-in wide; several patterns; regular 69c quality. Napkins to match above for 98c dozen.

73c yd All pure linen, full width, American Beauty Rose and pansy design, $1.00 quality. Napkins to match above at $1.98 dozen.

89c yd Pure linen 72-in wide, $1.25 quality. Napkins to match at $1.98 dozen.

98c yd Extra fine quality pure linen 72-in wide. June bride's lily of the valley pattern.

19c yd For white linene, suitable for skirts and suits, worth 19c. Sells everywhere at $1.50 yard. Napkins to match for $2.98 dozen.

1.39 yd Finest bleached Irish linen, worth $2.00 yd. For this MAY SALE, $1.39. Napkins to match at $3.48 dozen.

5.48 & 7.48 New table sets, pure linen cloth, and one dozen napkins, hemstitched and drawn work, all finished ready for use.

55c For full size bleached seamless bed sheets.

2 for 25c Hemstitched pillow slips, worth 20c each.

98c For fringed bed spread—cut corners; worth $1.25.

1.98 For scalloped edge Marseilles pattern bed spread, worth $2.50.

7½c yd For Lonsdale "Hope" muslin.

8c yd For India linen, worth up to 12c yard. 19c yd for India linen, worth 25c.

19c yd For Imperial Sea Island nainsook, worth 25c.

13c yd For white linene, suitable for skirts and suits; worth 19c. Pure linen suitings priced special at 29c, 39c, 49c and 69c yard. 11c for mercerized huck towels, worth 15c; 10c for large size bleached turkish towel, worth 15c.

EMBROIDERIES

29c yd Special lot corset cover and flouncings—values up to 49c.

At 49c Special lot flouncings and corset cover embroideries; values up to 89c.

Thousands of Snowy White Waists to go in the White May Sale.



Entirely new effects in lawn, lingerie, cross-bar swiss, silk, messaline, net and many other materials. Each and every one priced special for this GREAT SALE.

At 98c We show 33 different styles in plain and fancy white waists of lawn and lingerie, lace and embroidery effects; regular $1.25 and $1.50 values.

1.49 to 2.98 Pure linen tailored waists; silk and lingerie and fancy evening waists of chiffon, messaline, etc., priced up to $10.00.

NEW ARRIVALS OF PRINCESS DRESSES FOR THIS SALE. Silks, messaline, net and lingerie. Materials that make the prettiest draping possible and that lend themselves to every motion of the wearer. Fancy messalines and silks specially priced at $22.50, $19.75, down to $12.50. Lingerie dresses in white and colors, specially priced at $15.00, $10.00 down to $3.98.

An Abundance of Dainty Lingerie in this May Sale

Comparison is the test of qualities and values. Underwear that courts comparison is the only kind that gets in Bondi's White Sales. It is all carefully designed, painstakingly made and exactingly inspected.

GOWNS

3.98 to 1.98 Dainty lace and embroidery yoke with embroidery sleeves. Made of finest French lingerie.

98c Embroidery and lace trimmed gowns of soft lingerie and nainsook; values that usually sell up to $2.00.

45c One special lot purchased for this MAY SALE. Gowns daintily trimmed in lace and embroidery, tucked and hemstitched; values up to $1.00; now only 45c.

CORSET COVERS

19c One special lot of lace and embroidery trimmed, excellent finish; values up to 35c.

49c Nainsook, long-cloth and cross-bar materials; val lace and ribbon beading or embroidery trimmed; 65c and 75c values.

Children's Underwear

9c For children's drawers—worth 15c.

24c For embroidery trimmed drawers, worth 35c.

19c For hemstitched and trimmed skirts, worth 25c.

35c For slip-over and high neck gowns; ages 2 to 12 years; worth 49c.



SKIRTS

2.48 & 2.98 Deep embroidery and lace flounce, artistic designs; values up to $5.

89c One special lot of petticoats with 18-in flounce, 4 rows of lace insertion and edging; values up to $1.50. For this MAY SALE, 89c.

COMBINATION SUITS

Corset cover and drawers and corset cover and skirt; fine nainsook and lingerie trimmed in lace and embroidery with ribbon beading. Special prices for this MAY SALE from $3.98 down to 59c.

98c EXTRA SPECIAL—combined corset cover and skirt of fine lingerie with val lace trimming; regular $1.50 value.

LADIES' DRAWERS

19c Special lot for our MAY SALE; good quality cambric with hemstitched and tucked ruffle.

49c The wide "umbrella" drawers with full embroidery ruffle; sells everywhere at 75c.

In our corset section for this MAY SALE you will find every new shape in the AMERICAN LADY and WARNER BROS.—priced at $1.00 to $3.00. Also the "NEMO" self-reducing corset—price $3.00. The only corset for stout figures.

BONDI BROS. & CO.

Children's white and colored dresses, ages 1 to 14 years—"The kind that are made right." Made by our own exclusive children's dress-makers. Pretty white dresses, embroidery trimmed; priced from $1.49 to $4.98.

RAPS THE DIVORCE EVIL

ARCHBISHOP GLENNON ELOQUENTLY CONDEMNED RUINING OF AMERICAN HOMES.

HE DENOUNCED APARTMENT HOUSE LIFE

Says That Missouri Lawmakers Should Turn From Trivial Legislation and Do Something to Check the Growing Menace.

St. Louis, Mo., May 3.—Leaning forward in his pulpit at the New Cathedral Chapel yesterday over a large congregation, in which there were several hundred women of the aristocratic West End, John J. Glennon, in a voice which trembled with emotion, delivered a scorching criticism of what he termed a type of modern, selfish, indulgent, inconsequent, well-fed, material women, who shirk responsibility by herding together in a collective life at handsome hotels and apartments.

"Such women are, in many instances," he said, "unwilling to assume the burden of domestic responsibility, even of domestic superintendence, preferring a French novel to a cook stove, a game of bridge to a piece of embroidery, or eating doped candy to cultivating a flower patch. Such people, of course, will go away from home and their responsibilities and seek the insipid and unhealthful life of the crowded lodging or apartment house or the hotel. Once there, they gratify their tastes and use their vacant hours in still more vacant deeds."

The teaching of modern savants and inaction on the part of legislators were also included in a virile resume of conditions which, his Grace declared, are responsible for the passing of the home and the lack of permanence of matrimony. The former, he said, "insult the best interests of humanity by declaring that matrimony is only a convention; that there are alliances as holy outside the marriage bond as within it and that modern life can attain a high plane of morality by discarding ancient ideas and sacramental traditions.

Urging more efficient legislation in regard to divorce, the prelate expressed the opinion that the legislative fathers at Jefferson City would be better engaged if they would consider the amelioration of this grave danger instead of spending their time in much more trifling matters to which they recently have given their concern. Speaking on the economic difficulties and the increasing expense of maintaining a home, the archbishop expressed the conviction that, notwithstanding these circumstances, modern women are much to blame.

The sermon which gave the opportunity for his remarks was an address at the celebration of the feast of the Patronage of St. Joseph. He said in part:

"It is, I believe, opportune today for us to invoke that guardianship and protection for the Christian homes of our land, since, as you well know, these homes are subjected to influences that gradually lead to their disintegration, and will eventually, if they predominate, take from us the privilege that is so dear to many and so necessary to our faith and civilization. In the world of today the traditional idea of the home is being attacked both in principle and fact. In principle, by the popular school of economics, which today declare that the old-time idea of a home must yield to the changed conditions of civilization.

"That home was a unit marked by its physical and moral independence, based upon indissoluble bond, namely, the bond of matrimony, and fostered in the mutual and perennial love of those who dwelt there. It was physically independent in the sense that the home was separate from other homes, and there was to be thrown around it the sacredness and secrecy that befits honorable and virtuous lives. With our new teaching this kind of an institution must give way for, first, the bond of this union, namely, the indissoluble character of marriage, is no longer believed in.

"The home is founded upon the marriage bond. As the stability and permanence of the house largely depend upon the strength and durability of its foundations, the home obtains its continuance from the enduring character of the sacred bond of marriage. Unfortunately, today the teaching is that marriage is lost to sanctity and the divorce courts show but too clearly that it has lost its permanency.

"Every divorce granted means one home ruined, and every home ruined means one prop less to sustain this civilization of ours.

REV. I. W. WILLIAMSON'S LETTER

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. —Arlington Pharmacy.

SECURED CHANGE OF VENUE

Libel Suit Against the Old Sentinel Goes to Johnson County.

Alleging that Circuit Judge Hoffman and the inhabitants of Pettis county are prejudiced against him, and that he cannot, therefore, obtain a fair trial in the court here, Attorney E. C. White, as plaintiff, today obtained a change of venue in his suit against the Sentinel Newspaper Co. for libel, and the case was sent to Johnson county. The motion of Circuit Clerk Daugherty that Mr. White give bond for costs was not passed on but was left for the action of the Johnson county court.

The suit has been pending in the courts for nearly two and one-half years, and change of venue was only asked for at the last term.

LOOKOUT ITEMS.

Lookout, Mo., May 4.

Mrs. Nichols, of Otterville, is visiting her son, Mr. J. W. Nichols, this week.

Mrs. George Clopton is visiting her son, George, in Tuttle, Ok., this week.

Miss Maude Leftwich visited relatives in Sedalia last week.

Misses Alpha and Ada McMullin spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Ruth Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Withers and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Aldridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Withers.

Rev. Reed filled his regular appointment at Memorial Sunday and Sunday evening.

Quite a number of men from here attended W. H. Thomas' sale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricey Beaman visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wilson, of Hughesville, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Rayhill spent Sunday with Mr. Robert Landon.

Mr. A. Poole, of Sedalia, was a business visitor here Monday.

Miss Mable McFarland and Mr. Steve Hill, of Sedalia, spent Sunday with Miss Maude Leftwich.

DAVIS-EDWARDS NUPTIALS

Pretty Wedding Ceremony Solemnized at Lincoln.

At the pretty Davis home, in Lincoln, was solemnized Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the wedding of Miss Ida Davis and Mr. Clayton Edwards, both of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis gave a reception in honor of the newly married pair, and the merriment of the guests vouchsafed the joy and lightness of each heart present.

The many beautiful and handsome presents received gave substantial evidence of the high regard in which the young couple is held.

At the home of the groom's parents Thursday morning the whole party realized just how very enjoyable a 10 o'clock wedding breakfast could be, after which the bridal couple left to spend the first of their honeymoon on a wedding trip.

Spanish Executioner's Remorse.

A curious story comes from Seville. On Sunday night the local executioner died, his death being due to remorse. For several years he had not carried out any executions, but recently he was summoned to Cordova to inflict the final penalty on some criminals. The impression made upon him was so painful that he was unable to face the ordeal when summoned to execute the last criminal condemned in Seville, and the sentence will have to be carried out by the Madrid executioner.

Electric Cars on Frozen River.

Every winter, as soon as the Neva at St. Petersburg is frozen over, a service of electric cars is started to run across it on the ice.

TO CAPTURE SOLID SOUTH

THE PRESIDENT SAID TO BE FORMING PLANS TO THAT END.

VIRGINIA IS TO BE INVADED FIRST

Every Member of the Cabinet Will Make Speeches in the Old Dominion During the Coming Summer

Hearst News Service.

Washington, D. C., May 1.—Indications are that President Taft is about to follow up his southern policy in a new move which looks to the capture of the state of Virginia by the republicans.

Representative Slemp, the only republican member of congress from Virginia, today announced that practically the entire membership of the Taft cabinet will at some time or other this summer be heard in campaign speeches in the Old Dominion state.

Mr. Nagle, the secretary of commerce and labor, will be the first cabinet member to be heard.

It is said to be the president's intention to see that the republicans make a real fight in every southern state where there is a chance of making a creditable showing at the polls.

A healthy man is a king in his own right, an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

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Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

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BORAH FOR INCOME TAX

SENATOR FROM IDAHO MADE STRONG SPEECH FOR IT YESTERDAY.

ROOSEVELT'S POLICIES MUST STAND

Otherwise, Said the Senator, the Republican Party Will Go Down to Defeat—Gave Aldrich Organization Warning of Fate.

Washington, May 4.—In a speech in the senate yesterday afternoon in favor of the Cummins income tax amendment, Senator Borah, of Idaho, made a vigorous defense of the Roosevelt policies and asserted that if the republican party should abandon them it would be defeated.

The senator's remarks were evidently evoked by the attitude of the senate's leaders, who have been denouncing the income tax as socialistic, democratic and other dreadful things, and have been assuming that President Roosevelt was, of course, a dangerous radical, of whom the country was well rid. Borah cited the message of Roosevelt to congress in 1906 in favor of a graduated income tax. He continued:

"These are the words of the man about whose policies the thoughts of the people of the country have centered for the last seven years, and without whose leadership the republican party would have gone down to defeat.

"Without continued and faithful adherence to the Roosevelt policies, the epublican party can not continue in power. No man is politically so short-sighted or politically blind as the man who believes that the steamer Hamburg carried away the policies and principles, the public interest, the aroused public conscience and the surging public concern which that remarkable man bequeathed to his countrymen."

The senate listened with close attention, but its rules forbid any demonstration of applause or disapproval. The Idaho senator is recognized as one of the able men of the senate, and as an effective speaker. His declaration was generally accepted as another warning to the Aldrich organization that it will not be able to continue its control without a fight.

Borah's efforts were directed to showing that the income tax was traditionally a republican measure, advocated by such men as Alexander Hamilton, Abraham Lincoln, Oliver P. Morton and John Sherman. His legal argument was reserved for today. The speech was interrupted several times by Senator Beveridge, who was at last called upon by Senator Clay, of Georgia, to state his own position on the income tax. The statement was long and involved. Clay jumped up again:

"If the senator from Idaho will pardon the interruption," he said, "I would like to take time to ask the senator from Indiana to tell definitely where he stands on this measure."

"I wouldn't like to wait that long," Borah replied.

LAMONTE ITEMS.

Lamonte, Mo., May 6.

Verner Terry, of Kansas City, arrived Saturday for a short visit with his aunt, Mrs. J. J. Penquite.

Mrs. Welborn returned Monday from a visit with her mother.

Will Kemp returned Saturday from Lincoln, where he taught school this winter.

Brewer Potter is attending school at Knob Noster.

Misses Dimple Wimer and Lorine O'Bannon and Edith Reavis spent Saturday with Miss Kate Scotten.

Jay Dorsey, wife and little daughter, of Houstonia, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Smith and baby, of Kansas, are visiting Mrs. Smith's aunt, Mrs. W. F. Yankee.

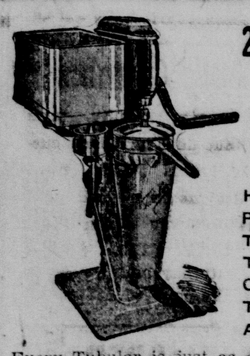
Miss Ermine Sellers, of Sedalia, visited friends here this week.

Quite a number of Lamonte boys attended the ball game at Sedalia Sunday.

The annual alumni banquet was held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Penquite Saturday night. About seventy guests attended. All had a lovely time.

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Hours in use	1,200
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Oil used	Only 3 quarts
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JUDGES NOT WORRIED

McPHERSON AND PHILIPS RATHER LAUGH AT MURPHY RESOLUTION.

M'PHERSON ASKS "WHO IS MURPHY?"

Declares Acts in the Rate Cases Were Done in Full Light of Day and Are Matters of Record—Philips Says He Won't Run.

St. Louis, May 4.—"Who is Murphy?"

This, in effect, is what Judge Smith McPherson, of Red Oak, Ia., wants to know relative to the resolution introduced yesterday in the house of representatives at Washington by Congressman Murphy, of Missouri, asking a congressional investigation of Federal Judges McPherson and Philips.

Nearing St. Louis on a train preparatory to addressing the Traffic club at Hotel Jefferson, Judge McPherson, who presides over the United States district court for the Southern district of Iowa, was first informed of the resolution. He had been in the country near Shennandoah, Ia., yesterday and was out of touch with the news of the day. Tired with his day's outing and in ignorance of the full text of the resolution, he had boarded Wabash train No. 14, bound for St. Louis, and a message from the Republic was handed him at Maryville, Mo.

The message asking for a statement relative to the charges made in the resolution asking for an investigation of both Judge McPherson and Judge Philips.

It was presupposed that Judge McPherson knew the text of the resolution. At Stanberry, Mo., Judge McPherson filed this message for the Republic:

"Your telegram was received on train, en route to St. Louis, where I am to deliver an address before the Traffic club of business men by invitation.

"Your message was the first I had known of any resolution in congress today concerning Judge Philips and myself. Not only was your message the first I had heard of such a resolution, but it is the first time I ever have heard of any man by the name of Murphy from the state of Missouri.

"Whatever his resolution may be, and whoever Mr. Murphy may be, they both will be without harm to either Judge Philips or myself.

"What I have done in the Missouri rate cases was done in the broad daylight of the court room, with my conclusions at the end of the hearing reduced to writing now on file with the clerk of the United States circuit court at Kansas City, and which were widely distributed to the press by the Associated Press March 8.

"Your message does not inform me of the nature of the resolution, therefore I can not go into detail. Whatever they may be, my sleep tonight will not be disturbed.

"Of course, you know that anything a congressman does can not be called to account, if done in open session, and this, regardless of the slanders he may utter and the person slandered, is absolutely without recourse."

Congress Snubs Resolutions.

Washington, May 4.—High tide at Washington in Missouri rate affairs was reached today.

Representative A. Pat Murphy, of the Sixteenth Missouri district, introduced his resolution in the house demanding an nvestigaton of Judge J. F. Philips and Judge Smith McPherson, of the federal district court.

The Warner resolution, inspired by Governor Hadley, which directed an investigation into the reasonableness of the rates charged by the Missouri railroads, was put to sleep in the senate.

Murphy's sizzling resolution, revamping the circumstances of the Tampico fishing trip, assailing Judge Philips as a tyrant in the administration of his court and alleging, in effect, undue sympathy for the railroads on the part of the two judges in question, was referred to house committee on rules.

And this, in all human prabability, will be the end of the resolution's official career.

Philips Courts an Inquiry.

Kansas City, Mo., May 4.—"I will demand an immediate investigation," said Judge John F. Philips here yesterday, when shown the Washington dispatch in regard to Representative Murphy's resolution. "I do not intend to allow these charges to hang fire indefinitely if I can help it."

Although he declined to be interviewed, Judge Philips intimated that he would immediately telegraph Speaker Cannon and request that a congressional committee be appointed to investigate thoroughly the matters suggested by the Murphy resolution. That portion of the resolution which insinuated that Judge Philips had been derelict in attending to his official duties seemed to disturb him most, as, he said, his part in the disposition of the Missouri rate cases had been largely perfunctory.

His granting of a supplementary restraining order against the railroads last Friday, he said, was the most important act of his in connection with the cases and he did that as an accommodation to Judge McPherson, who will come here next Wednesday to preside at the hearing on that order.

Judge Philips said he had called in Judge McPherson to take charge of the Missouri rate cases in their very inception and that during the last three years he had devoted himself to the work of the United States court of appeals, where the number of decisions he had rendered disproved the charges of the Murphy resolution.

Judge Philips has been on the federal bench for twenty-one years and he said he courted the fullest investigation of his judicial career.

He intimated that the primary motive behind the charges against him was to force his resignation. In this connection he said:

"I have never run away from a fight. I did not in the civil war and I shall not now."

Judge Philips served in the Union army and has a distinguished record.

Judge Phillips Has Reconsidered.

Kansas City, May 4.—Judge John F. Philips today decided not to urge Speaker Cannon to push the investigation of the charges made against him by Congressman Murphy.

He has concluded that such a request from him would be a bad precedent as well as somewhat irregular, as congress would have no jurisdiction in the premises unless impeachment proceedings were started. The jurist has also reconsidered his determination to make a formal statement for publication today.

Willing to Be Investigated.

St. Louis, May 4.—Judge Smith McPherson issued a statement here today reviewing his work in the Missouri rate cases and defending the course taken by him in those trials. He asserted his willingness to undergo a congressional investigation, "if any member of congress, aside from Mr. Murphy, thinks there should be such an investigation." He added that the Missouri congressman had done Judge Philips "a great wrong," as the latter had "practically nothing whatever to do with the Missouri rate cases."

Says Resolution is Outrageous.

Kansas City, May 4.—Attorney Frank Hagerman, of this city, leading counsel for the railways in Missouri in the rate litigation, today sent a telegram to Attorney General Wickersham at Washington saying that Representative Murphy's resolution is an outrageous issue of misrepresentation.

Grief Is an Illness.

Grief is an illness and must be treated as such. Sorrow, grief and the emotions caused by all great misfortunes should be regarded as akin to acute physical maladies. Recent medical observations show that the physical results of depressing emotions are similar to those caused by bodily accidents, fatigue, chills, partial starvation and loss of blood. Birds, moles and dogs, which apparently die in consequence of capture and from conditions that correspond in human beings to broken heart, were examined after death as to the conditions of their internal organs. It was found that the nutrition of the tissues had been interfered with, and the substance proper of various vital organs had undergone degeneration.—From the Osteopath.

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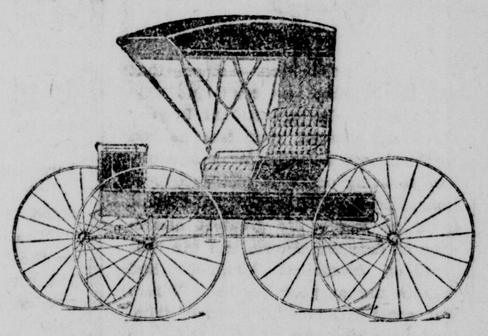
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Remember the Date==Saturday, May 8

Knight-Marshall Hardware Co.

FAVORS WHIPPING POST

STATE SENATE YESTERDAY REFUSED TO ABOLISH MODE OF PUNISHMENT.

ARGUED THAT THE CONVICTS NEEDED IT

One Senator Said Even the Discussion of the Bill Would Have Bad Effect Upon the Inmates of the "Pen."

Jefferson City, May 4.—The senate refused yesterday afternoon to pass the bill by Senator Eads to abolish the whipping post in the state penitentiary. The gallery was full and the senators debated the bill at length. Eads, the author of the bill, said the whipping post is brutal and that the whippings given some convicts have been inhuman.

Senator Humphreys said the bill was one that not only ought not to pass, but ought not to be discussed. The convicts in the penitentiary read the papers and it incites trouble whenever there is a discussion of this kind. Only a few days ago a convict tried to kill a guard and the guard had to kill him for self protection.

"Every penitentiary has some kind of physical punishment," he said. "In some states they use water cure and in others they lay refractory convicts on a barrel and give them a shock of electricity."

Senator Gardner said not much whipping is done in the penitentiary. There are men, he argued, who can only be managed by physical fear. For that reason, he was unwilling to interfere with a long established custom of the institution.

Senator Wilson declared that the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth is a well managed institution that never uses the whipping post.

"The whipping post," he said, "smacks too much of the knout of Russia, and the lash of the slave driver to have a place in modern American affairs. It is not the mere pain from the application of the lash, but the stripe of degradation that burns into the soul of the man that does the permanent harm. The cuts on the man's back will heal, but the hatred in his heart will not, and it will become a cause of resentment that helps to make him a worse citizen afterward instead of a better one."

On a roll call the bill was four votes short of enough to pass.

VALDA ITEMS.

Valda, Mo., May 5.

Miss Dollie Arnold, of Sedalia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maud Arnold, this week.

Mrs. Frank Elliott and daughters were shopping in Sedalia yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Meyers and daughter, Miss Ida, were shopping in Sedalia Tuesday.

Mr. Elliott McVey and mother and Mrs. Frank Garmen were passengers out to Valda Sunday morning to visit Merle Elliott, who has been sick all spring.

W. I. Higgins, the painter, was a passenger out on the Flyer Sunday morning and on Monday began painting the residence of J. A. Elliott.

Herb Elliott and J. C. Martin were talking business in Sedalia Saturday.

Mrs. Mollie Warren and Miss Amandalee Stephens were passengers out from Sedalia Sunday morning and with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elliott took dinner with Mr and Mrs. Stephens.

A. M. Boyd and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Charley Wingate and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cramer were transacting business in the Queen City Tuesday.

Quarterly meeting will be held at New Bethel next Saturday and Sunday. The presiding elder, Rev. Warren, will be present. Every one invited to attend.

Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Allen J. Hogan and Rebecca J. Hogan his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated the 14th day of April, 1906, and recorded in the recorder's office of Pettis county, Missouri, in deed record 177, on page 281, conveyed to the undersigned, Henry Conser, trustee, all their right, title, interest and estate in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, to-wit: Lots thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14) in block four (4), Martin and Cotton's third addition to the city of Sedalia, in said Pettis county and state of Missouri, which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of their certain promissory notes in said deed fully described.

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said notes and the same is now due and unpaid, now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I shall proceed to sell the above described real estate at the west front door of the court house in the city of Sedalia, Pettis county, state aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash at public auction, on

Tuesday, June 8, 1909,

between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day to satisfy said note, together with the costs and expenses of executing this trust.

HENRY CONSER, Trustee.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1909.

Wanted—Stock to pasture; plenty of grass and water. Frank R. Field, R. 7, one mile south of new shops.

BECOMING A MOTHER is an ordeal which all women approach with dread, for nothing compares to the pain of child-birth. The thought of the suffering in store for her robs the expectant mother of pleasant anticipations. Thousands of women have found the use of **Mother's Friend** robs confinement of much pain and insures safety to life of mother and child. This liniment is a God-send to women at the critical time. Not only does **Mother's Friend** carry women safely through the perils of child-birth, but it prepares the system for the coming event, relieves "morning sickness," and other discomforts. Sold by druggists at $1.00. Book of valuable information mailed free.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO. Atlanta, Ga.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

Startling May Sale Bargains IN ALL SECTIONS AT

Chasnoffs

110. W. Second St. 118 S. Ohio St

In This May Sale There are many Bargains for You and YOU and YOU.

Our May sales would be worthy of every woman's immediate attention even if the Millinery Sale were the only one on the schedule, but it is not.

There is the sale of women's $15.00 tailor made suits, **$7.95;** $25.00 tailor made suits, **14.75;** $8.00 spring coats, **$4.97;** $8.00 voile skirts, **$5.87;** beautiful $4.00 waists, **$2.39;** 75c foulard silks, **47c;** $1.00 silks for **63c;** 10c organdies, 6½c; 36-inch linene suiting, 9½c; 20c white goods, **14c;** 75c pure table linen, **55c;** 75c cream stripe suiting, **37c;** $3.50 lace curtains, **$2.39;** $1.50 fringed bed spreads, **97c;** $2.50 and $3.00 women's oxfords, **$1.87.**

The sale of hosiery and underwear for men, women and children; the sale of men furnishings and suit cases; great May sale of muslin underwear, house dresses, kimonas and dressing sacques; greatest sale of laces and embroideries, up to 15c qualities for **5c;** 75c 27-inch embroidery flouncing, **59c;** but please do not be satisfied with what our store news says. See for yourself some of the good things in this sale. Make some of them your own.

Save from $2 to $10 on Your Hat at Chasnoffs ---- Sedalia's Greatest Millinery Store.

The Store for Everybody.



To get a hat that suits—not one that will do, because you can't find anything better—but a hat that is your style—that frames your face as you would choose a frame for a fine picture to bring out your color and best lines. There is just one way, and that is to go where the greatest abundance of hats are shown, and the best force of competent trimmers and makers are at your service. Where else could you find hundreds of trimmed hats that are actual $5.00 to $25.00 values for $2.98 to $15.00? Just here—and no two are alike! Every hat new, distinctive, charming and at a positive saving of $2.00 to $10.00.

FIRST DEGREE MURDER

Eugene Tucker Receives Death Verdict for Double Killing.

Springfield, Mo., May 5.—The jury in the case of Eugene Tucker, charged with killing Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis and Joshua Ellis, husband and wife, near here, February last, brought in a verdict today of murder in the first degree and fixed the penalty at death.

The crime grew out of the impounding of Tucker's cows by Mr. Ellis.

A regular scream. You cry because you laugh when you read Miss Minerva and Mr. Green Hill Incidentally. A delightful little love story principally—wholesome, perennial humor. Also the latest book on the market at West's Book Shop. Mr. Opp, by Alice Hegan Rice.

Will Improve Hotel Huckins.

Harvey Terry and P. B. Rafter who late Tuesday purchased a one-half interest in the Huckins hotel, have laid plans for an extensive improvement to be made at the hostelry, the work on which will be begun this week.

The stairs will be altered noticeably, and various other improvements made throughout the building. The new management intends to make the hotel the finest in the city.

DECORATION DAY

Sale of monuments and grave markers. Large stock and latest designs to select from. Prices that will get your order. Across the tracks.—Heynen Monument Works.

Taking Treatment in Sedalia.

C. B. Todd, of Clifton City, was in Sedalia yesterday. Mr. Todd is taking treatment at the Dr. Camp Medical Co.

C. F. Zimmerschied, of Mora, Mo., was in the city today. He is taking treatment at the Dr. Camp Medical Co.

A "Perpetual" Lamp.

The "perpetual lamp" of Prof. Molish is a glass flask of gelatine supporting a colony of phosphorescent bacteria. The light is less than that of a candle, but is sufficient for photography, and germinating peas and lentils turn to it as a source of energy. Being without heat rays, it represents the much-sought cold light



It May Be

THAT YOU NEED A HAT

That's very plain and simple—a hat for street wear; perhaps you need a "general utility hat," a rather dressy model, suitable for any occasion; perhaps you need a very elaborate model for visiting, reception or evening wear; but whatever your "hat needs," maybe you will find an appropriate design here—at a reasonable price. We solicit the favor of a visit.

Mrs. Monahan-Collier,

217 OHIO STREET



HERE'S THE REVISED LIST

RESULT OF THE WORK OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS.

SOME MATERIAL REDUCTIONS WERE MADE

Those Who Secured Them Made Affidavit That the Amounts Assessed Were More Than the Property Owned.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The county court met yesterday and in addition to other business transacted decided to allow the Democrat-Sentinel access to the list of tax reductions made by the recent board of appeals.

It will be remembered that when the equalization board met it raised the personal taxes of very many citizens of the county to such an extent as to occasion considerable remark, and the Democrat-Sentinel published a list containing the names of those against whom the greatest raises were made, together with the amounts of the old and new assessments.

When the board of appeals had concluded its work and adjourned, the paper endeavored to obtain a list of the revisions made, but was unable to do so at the time.

Yesterday, however, the county court, after a thorough discussion of the matter, decided to grant the permission asked for, and today, therefore, the list of revisions is printed herewith:

Judge McAninch wishes it understood that he did not object to the publication of this later list, especially as the first had been given publicity, but said that he did think that the publication of the first list was a mistake, inasmuch as it might tend to harm the work of fixing adequate assessments on all citizens of the county.

There were very few changes made by the board of appeals, but some of them were material ones. All were made after the party interested had made affidavit to the amount of his possessions. The changes made follow, the first amount being the assessment fixed by the board of equalization and the latter the sum fixed by the board of appeals.

J. P. Higgins	$6,300	$6,170
J. J. Yeater	2,000	1,000
F. W. Fair	640	600
W. U. Agee	150	100
Alonzo Davis	2,500	200
Lewis Houchen	500	300
D. Weller	1,160	1,000
Mrs. Mildred B. Coleman	1,000	000
Beiler Grocery Co.	10,000	9,000
David White	1,280	280
E. G. Cassidy	3,000	2,500
Fred Kraas	850	100
Chas. H.Raiffeisen (r e)	1,000	900
Mrs. Anna Bratton	1,000	500
Prof. I. N. Farris	400	300
Clark & Tuttle (r e)	7,500	6,500
C. C. Williams	850	500
Wm. Beck	2,000	200
E. R. Blair	2,500	580
E. G. Cassidy	3,000	1,500
S. W. Castle	3,000	2,270
John D. Crawford	10,000	370
Mrs. Norma B. Dexter	3,000	200
W. J. Ferguson	1,000	500
L. N. Guild	2,000	180
W. T. Hutchinson	12,250	7,250
W. D. Ilgenfritz	2,500	2,000
P. M. May	1,000	500
J. T. Montgomery	5,000	1,000
M. H. Morris	1,500	310
W. T. Morris	1,500	300
W. H. Powell	10,950	1,000
Geo. W. Shively	5,000	1,000
D. H. Smith	17,910	7,910
Robert Thompson	2,000	1,150
Dr. E. F. Yancey	5,000	850
Joseph Gelven	1,600	350
Katie G. Lawrence	2,900	2,400
Mrs. J. H. Doyle	7,150	220
M. P. Tuck	1,000	650
J. Willis Smith	1,000	940

The county court and the Board of Equalization have succeeded in assessing taxes against much property that has hitherto escaped, and the members feel confident that if they get hold of that which is even now not paying what it justly should, they can lower the county levy at least 10 cents on the $100 valuation. They are anxious that all tax-paying citizens aid them in the endeavor.

READ MEN RE WORKING

Want Sedalia Selected as Location for the Order's Home.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The members of Apache tribe No. 55 and Wichita tribe No. 108, I. O. R. M. are formulating plans for a successful campaign to land Sedalia as the place for the state meeting of the order in 1910, when they assemble at the great council meeting at Boonville, on May 18.

Another matter, which the local Red Men contemplate landing, is the erection in Sedalia of a Red Men home, to cost approximately $25,000.

At Monday night's meeting of Wichita tribe a committee consisting of Lawrence Laupheimer, C. D. Prentice and Clem Honkomp, Sr., was appointed to meet jointly with a committee from Apache tribe to draft resolutions to be presented at the great council at Boonville, asking that Sedalia be selected as the next place of meeting, also that the Queen City be selected as the place for the erection of the Red Men home.

The latter matter is in the hands of the executive committee of the order, and whatever town secures the home will have to furnish a suitable site gratis, which the two tribes here are willing to do.

DEATH OF J. M. WHERLEY

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF COUNTY PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING.

HE HAD LIVED HERE FORTY THREE YEARS

Was a Confederate Veteran, and Came From Virginia in 1866—Leaves Wife and Six Children—Mrs. Wherley Ill.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

J. M. Wherley, for forty-three years a resident of Pettis county, died from asthma at his home, five miles east of Sedalia, at 2:20 o'clock this morning, after a three days' illness.

Mr. Wherley was considerably worse yesterday, and the attending physician, Dr. Edward Albers, of Smithton, was summoned, but in spite of medical attention he died at the hour stated.

Mr. Wherley was born in Virginia. In 1866 he came to Pettis county, and spent many years engaged in farming.

He had been a member of the Confederate army and always boasted of the fact very proudly, considering it one of the most vital events of his career.

He was united in marriage twenty-eight years ago to Mrs. Martha E. Smiley, who survives him, also the following children: Mrs. Clabe Cline, of Otterville; Mrs. C. A. Merritt, of Muscotah, Kan.; A. A. Wherley, of east of Sedalia; T. E. Wherley, of Otterville; J. V. Wherley, of Smithton, and W. A. Wherley, of Turlock, Cal.

Mr. Wherley was 76 years old. He belonged to the Southern Methodist church.

On account of the critical illness of Mrs. Wherley, deceased's widow, who for the past two weeks has been very low with diabetes and paralysis, there will be short services at the family residence at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and regular funeral services at the Salem Methodist church at 11 o'clock.

The Rev. J. F. Caskey, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, South, will officiate, and burial will be made in the Salem burial ground.

WORK THAT TELLS

Plenty of It Has Been Done Right Here in Sedalia.

Cures that last are cures that tell. To thoroughly know the virtues of a medicine you must investigate the cures and see if they prove permanent. Doan's Kidney Pills stand this test, and plenty of proof exists right here in Sedalia. People who testified years ago to relief from backache, kidney and urinary disorders, now declare that relief was permanent and the cure perfect. How can any Sedalia sufferer longer doubt the evidence?

Mrs. G. A. Bras, 812 E. Sixth street, Sedalia, Mo., says: "I was afflicted with kidney trouble so severely that I thought I would die. The kidney secretions were irregular, and if I stopped, sharp twinges would dart through the small of my back. I could not sleep well and seemed to have but little strength or energy. I tried many remedies but without good results. Finally I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a box at Bard's drug store. I took them as directed and received prompt relief. steadily improved and at last every symptom was banished. My husband has also used Doan's Kidney Pills with excellent results."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

If you want to feel well, look well and be well, take Foley's Kidney bladder, purifies the blood and restores health and strength. Pleasant to take and contains no harmful drugs. Why not commence today?—Arlington Pharmacy.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE BIG BEN.

HE TRIED TO BREAK JAIL

ALLEGED HORSE THIEF CONFINED IN THE CITY BASTILE SAWS BARS.

OFFICER WOOD DISCOVERED HIM AT WORK

Williams Alias Wilson Had Nearly Effected His Get-Away—He Is Charged With Stealing Team From Sedalia Liveryman.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

One of the boldest attempts at jail-breaking ever perpetrated in this city was made by Charles Williams, alias C. J. Wilson, alias C. J. Miller, an alleged horsethief, in the city jail, last night.

Just as the prisoner was completing his work which would give him access to the corridor, after which escape is easy, Officer Howard Wood, a night patrolman, visited the jail on his regular rounds.

He heard sounds, resembling those of someone sawing steel, and on investigating found the alleged horsethief at his work. Two of the finest steel saws manufactured, also two high grade files were found on Williams' person.

Chief of Police W. H. Boulit was summoned from his home, and after making a thorough search for other instruments removed the prisoner to another cell.

Williams was incarcerated in cell No. 4. This cell, like all the others, is locked with a large iron lock. The circular iron spring bar, used to fasten the lock, had been sawed by Williams, who had finished the task with the exception of about one-eighth of an inch when he was detected.

The bar had been sawed in two places and was just ready to fall apart when Officer Wood discovered the prisoner's attempt to gain his liberty.

On searching the prisoner, the two files and two saws were found in a cloth sack, which was tied around the prisoner's neck, on the inside of his underwear, being in such a position as not to be discovered when he was undergoing a searching process at the hands of the police.

Williams was arraigned before H. M. Gresham, ex-officio justice of the peace, this morning, and at the request of Prosecuting Attorney Dow was removed to the county jail, to await preliminary examination on the charge of attempted jail-breaking.

In addition to that charge, Williams is also awaiting examination on a charge of stealing a horse and buggy from William Rector last Friday, for which offense he had been incarcerated in the bastile.

Had Williams succeeded in sawing the lock off the cell he would have been afforded access to the jail corridor, after which he might have escaped easily, likewise three other prisoners, who were arrested last night for possessing burglars' tools.

When confronted by the police just after his detection, Williams unsophisticatedly remarked that he had ruined the lock and would be willing to pay for the damage he had done

MR. SMITH VISITED HERE

Vice President of Traction Company Spent Day in Sedalia.

Dwight Smith, vice president of the Edward M. Deane Co., of Grand Rapids, Mich., owners of the Sedalia Light and Traction Co., was a visitor in the city today, and went to Kansas City this afternoon.

While here Mr. Smith favored the Democrat-Sentinel with a call.

The purpose of Mr. Smith's visit was to consider a number of improvements which the company is contemplating, among them being the extension of the gas mains to various parts of the city, also for the extension of the street car tracks, particularly to Southeast Sedalia, where no facilities are now afforded.

Mr. Smith made a number of recommendations, which will necessarily have to receive the ratification of the officials before carried out.

Have Their Own Guaranty Company.

Topeka, Kas., May 3.—A charter was granted today to the Kansas Bank Deposit Guaranty and Surety company with a capital of $500,000. This company is the outgrowth of the action of the federal government in refusing to permit Kansas National banks to participate in the state bank guaranty law passed by the last legislature.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and repaired. saws filed. lawn movers sharpened. Home phone 272.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE BIG BEN.

MESSERLY'S DEPARTMENT STORE,

116, 118, 120 OSAGE AND SECOND STREETS.

BIG REMOVAL SALE

of Staple and Fancy Groceries.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 7th, 8th and 10th.

Our greater Messerly Grocery Department will in a few days be moved into its new quarters. We are going to celebrate this moving event by giving a rousing three-day Special Grocery Sale, you'll find in our grocery department, Specials after Specials that are not advertised on this list. Bring your market baskets or your street numbers and get your share of these extraordinary offerings.

Fresh shipment None-Such Mince Meat, three packages for **25c**

Extra quality 12-oz packages new seeded Raisins, the package **5c**

15c trial size bottle of B. & T. pure Olive Oil for **10c**

12 boxes best parlor matches, worth 20c; three days only for **10c**

2 pounds fresh, crisp soda crackers, plain or salted, for **15c**

Best quality Solar Baking Powder, regular 25c size; this sale, the can **15c**

1-lb package Bon-Ton cooking soda for **4c**

Sal Soda, the pound **3c**

Fresh Jell-O, any flavor, three packages for **25c**

¼-lb tins, Colman's Bull Head superfine ground Mustard; 20c value, the tin **15c**

Kenwood brand, best table syrup put up in 2-gallon buckets, worth $1.00; the bucket **70c**

Yucatan or Kiss-Me chewing gum, two packages for **5c**

Arbuckle fresh roasted coffee, the package **15c**

Fresh Oleomargarine, the pound package **15c**

Extra fine quality canned pears, regulation size, the can **10c**

Spring catch, solid packed salmon; 20c size, the can **15c**

Full line fresh garden and field seed of all kinds.

Best grade California apricots or peaches, packed in thick sugar syrup; regular 25c value. Removal sale price, the can **15c**

Bismark quart jars of preserves—peaches, apricots, raspberries, blackberries or fruit or apple butter, worth 30c; this sale, the jar **22c**

Pint glass jars fruit butter, 10c value; this sale at **7c**

Quart size Michigan full quartered apples, the can **5c**

Large size jar best quality Burr cucumber sweet pickles, 75c values; removal sale, the jar **44c**

Best grade Jamaica shot peppers, the pound **15c**

10c size challenge fresh ball bluing at **5c**

Large size fresh California cooking figs, 2 pounds for **15c**

5 pounds best quality broken rice for **24c**

8 pounds best quality Pearl hominy grit for .. **25c**

Campbell's extra quality fine Tobasco, Chili sauce or tomato ketchup, in this sale at 9c bottle, or 3 for **25c**

Full size tumblers fine prepared mustard for **5c**

Bismark best grade imported pickled onions, 60c quality; this sale for .. **49c**

Large size California evaporated peaches, two pounds for **15c**

Fresh vegetables and fruits received every morning.

OUR BIG 30-DAY CLOTHING SALE IS NOW AT IT'S BEST.

ATTRACTIVE VALUES JUST ADDED TO THIS 30-DAY CLOTHING SALE.

Boys' $1.50 knee pant suits **98c**

Boys' $2.00 knee pant suits **1.49**

Boys' knee pant 2-piece wool suits, worth $2.25, $2.50, $3.00; choice from lot **1.98**

Youths' $3.50 suits **1.98**

Young men's $4.50 suits **2.98**

Young men's $10.00 suits **6.98**

Young men's $7.50 suits **3.98**

Young men's suits, worth $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $9.00, choice from lot **4.98**

SPECIAL TROUSER SALE

We have added to our special Trouser Sale several new patterns in chic nobby patterns, making this the greatest opportunity for buying an extra pair of trousers at a low price; in the lot you find trousers worth $2.25, $2.50 and $3.00. Your choice the pair **1.98**

Two Important Specials in Lace Curtains

One case Nottingham lace curtains, full bleached, 60 inches wide, fine woven overlocked edge, rich floral designs, suitable for one curtain to window; worth $1.25. Special for three days—Friday, Saturday and Monday, the pair **98c**

10 dozen extra quality pure white Point de Esprit lace curtains, 56 inches wide; neat, dainty designs in a variety of patterns; woven overlocked edges, worth $2.50. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, the pair **1.98**

SHOES, OXFORDS AND SLIPPERS

This big shoe department is in reality a shoe store within itself. Here you find the very best materials and leathers that can be put in a shoe. Here you find shoes made by the most skilled workmen. Here you find stylish shoes, oxfords and slippers for men, women and children that are better shoes for same money, or same shoes for less price than are obtained elsewhere. See our shoes today.

Sedalia, Missouri. **C. E. Messerly** Proprietor and Mgr.

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MRS. EVANS DIED SUNDAY

WIFE OF FORMER SEDALIA PHYSICIAN PASSED INTO THE GREAT BEYOND.

WAS WELL KNOWN AND GREATLY LOVED

For Many Years Resided in This City and Was Active in Church and Social Work—Had Been Married Forty Years.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mrs. Louella Evans, wife of Dr. Henry Evans, formerly of this city, but for a number of years residing on a farm at Beaman, Mo., died at her home at 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, death being assigned to heart trouble.

Mrs. Evans was one of the best known ladies in the county and her death will cause a sincere regret among every acquaintance.

For years Mrs. Evans had been afflicted with heart failure, but only about three weeks ago did the illness take a serious turn. Since that date she had been bedfast.

The best of medical attention was rendered her, but in spite of all that could be done she expired at the hour stated.

Mrs. Evans was born in Pettis county January 16, 1853, and before her marriage was Miss Louella Stone. She was 56 years of age, and was married to Dr. Henry Evans November 2, 1869. Besides her husband, she leaves a brother, residing at Fresno, Cal., and two children, Mrs. Lulu Evans, residing at home, and Will Evans, the well known stockman of the same locality.

Mrs. Evans had been a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and later united with the Broadway Presbyterian church. She was widely known throughout the country, where she has hundreds of friends to mourn her demise.

The funeral will be held tomorrow, Tuesday, morning at the family home, Rev. D. M. Clagett, of this city, officiating, and the following acting as pallbearers: Dr. T. J. Fletcher, A. R. Easton, S. E. Spencer, Dr. F. M. Fulkerson, R. M. Harris, of Sedalia, and L. L. Stuart, of Beaman.

Interment will be in the Smithton cemetery.

A PAPER CHANGES HANDS

The Missouri Republican Bought By Senator John M. Grimes.

The Missouri Republican at Boonville has been sold to Senator John M. Grimes, of the Eighteenth district, says Saturday's Boonville Democrat.

Mr. H. H. Mitchell has been here the past few days, making arrangements to transfer the entire business, which will be done this evening. Senator Grimes will take complete charge Monday morning, and expects to move here in a short time.

J. E. Watson, formerly of the Pilot Grove Record, will have charge of the Republican until Senator Grimes' return.

Neither Senator Grimes nor J. E. Watson need an introduction to the people of Boonville, as they are both well and favorably known among the business men.

Senator Grimes is the author of one of the two cent fare bills.

ELKS TO HAVE GREAT HOME

Plans Are Made for An Eleven-Story Building in New York.

New York, May 1.—Plans for the new million dollar club-house which New York Elks' lodge No. 1 proposes to build in West Forty-third street were signed Friday.

The structure is to be eleven stories high, built in the Italian renaissance style. One of its distinctive features will be a lodge room with a seating capacity of 1,000.

ROBBED THE "POOR BOX"

Sacred Heart Church Visited by a Thief Sunday.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Thieves have been known to rob telephone pay stations, houses, business houses and other places, but the most singular theft yet reported to the police was announced Sunday, when it was discovered that the "poor box" in the rear of Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church, on West Third street, was broken into and the contents stolen.

Little is known as to the identity of the guilty party or parties, although a suspicious looking man was seen hanging around the edifice Saturday.

The theft was discovered Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Fr. Christian Daniel, acting pastor of the church.

The box is nailed to the wall in the rear of the edifice. It is always closed and locked. Sunday the Rev. Fr. Daniel discovered that the steel staples holding the iron lock had been removed from the box, which furnished access to the contents.

It is not known what sum was taken, as the box is opened only monthly and the contents are given by donors, who alone know what their deposits amount to.

AN ALLEGED HORSE THIEF

HE WAS ARRESTED IN BENTON COUNTY AND BROUGHT TO SEDALIA.

TOOK WILL RECTOR'S HORSE AND BUGGY

Buggy and Harness Sold, but Had the Horse When Apprehended Sunday Morning—All the Property Has Been Recovered.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Charles Williams, alias C. J. Wilson, alias C. J. Miller, who claims to be a barber by trade and who says he lives at Joplin, was arrested at Warsaw Sunday by Sheriff Allen, of Benton county to face the charge of having stolen a horse and buggy from Will Rector, a Sedalia liveryman, Friday.

Several hours after his arrest he was identified by Mr. Rector and now occupies quarters in the city jail with a felony charge staring him in the face.

Williams, or whoever he is, is about 40 years old. Last Friday morning he went to Rector's livery stable and hired a horse and buggy, saying he wanted to drive to a pasture south of town.

At night he did not return. Neither did he show up Saturday. That night Mr. Rector filed complaint with the police and cards were sent out in hope of apprehending the criminal.

Saturday night Williams was arrested at Duroc, a station south of Warsaw, on suspicion of having stolen a horse, which he was trying to sell. After several hours' confinement no one appeared to file charges against him and he was released.

Sunday morning Sheriff Allen received a card announcing the robbery. He immediately set out to find the man. He located him near Warsaw. Williams was returned to that town and placed in jail, and Fred Robertson, assistant chief of police and Mr. Rector went to Warsaw Sunday morning.

He was identified as the man who had rented the team and was brought to Sedalia to stand trial. Williams engaged C. C. Kelly to defend him, and at the request of the latter Judge H. M. Gresham, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, today continued the case until tomorrow.

Williams had sold the buggy and harness to George Allen, of Duroc, and was trying to dispose of the animal, which caused his initial arrest.

All of the stolen property has been recovered.

SEDALIA BOY TO MARRY

Dr. Stanley Battersby, Formerly of This City, to Wed Tuesday.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Dr. Stanley Battersby, a Sedalia boy, who was graduated from the Sedalia High school in the class of 1902, now practicing medicine at Cole Camp, will be united in marriage to Miss Anna Anderson daughter of the Hon. William R. Anderson, a prominent lawyer of Palmyra, Mo., at the bride's home at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Rev. Thomas Barbee, pastor of the Palmyra Presbyterian church, will perform the ceremony, which will be witnessed only by immediate relatives.

A wedding luncheon will follow, and the bridal couple will leave at once for Cole Camp, where they will go to housekeeping.

Dr. Battersby is a son of Mrs. Magdalene Battersby, of 1020 East Broadway, and has a legion of friends in Sedalia who will learn of the event with pleasure.

Mrs. Battersby and daughter, Miss Polly, left for Palmyra today to attend the wedding.

THE NEW BROOM SWEEPS CLEAN



IN TROUBLE IN FRANCE

JAMES HAZEN HYDE, FORMER EQUITABLE INSURANCE CO.'S VICE PRESDENT.

HE RAN DOWN A TAXICAB IN PARIS

Must Pay Fine and Go to Jail Also—Is the Man Whose Fool Acts First Brought About Famous insurance Investigation.

Paris, May 3.—James Hazen Hyde, of New York, former vice president of the Equitable Life Assurance society, and his chauffeur. Ladwice, were today condemned by default, Hyde to one month's imprisonment and a fine of $100, and Ladwice to one month's imprisonment and a fine of $50.

They were charged with running into a public taxicab last October and injuring a passenger. The complainants charged that after the accident Ladwice sped away. Under a law passed last July, flight after an accident is a special offense.

At present Hyde is on an automomile trip in the Riviera.

Was New York Exquisite.

New York, May 3.—James Hazen Hyde, whose infraction of French laws and judgment by default brings him again into the public eye, is the only son of Henry B. Hyde, founder of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

He left the country immediately following the Armstrong investigation of the big insurance companies, which demonstrated that for less than five hours' attendance at his office five days a week, as vice president of the Equitable life, he got a salary of $100,000 a year—twice the amount paid the president of the United States.

When Hyde left the United States some years ago it was not because he was in any immediate danger of a visitation from the law, although he had been a prominent figure in the insurance scandal, which brought many of the men of his class into the shadow of the penitentiary.

He did it, as he sadly remarked at the docks, more in sorrow than in anger. He was going, he said, because the people of the United States were too crude, too materialistic, too blatant to be worthy of the society of a gentleman of leisure. He was going, he said, to a land where life is an art and where art is life, where the traits of character which in his own country had brought him nothing but bitterness and derision, would win him appreciation and friends.

Hyde added that he would always continue to think kindly of America, that he would, even out of loyalty to his forbears, retain his American citizenship, but he qualified this by saying that he did not think he ever would come back. Then he curled his violet-scented beard and went abroad.

In Paris he immediately became a lion. The fact that he was immensely wealthy and that he had been made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor for his service in New York as president of the Alliance Francaise, gave him entree to some excellent circles of society.

Hyde is not yet 35 years old, but his bizarre effects of dress and personal adornment make him seem older. He wears a Henri III beard,

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TRAGIC END OF ROMANCE

MISSOURI LAWYER WHO ELOPED WITH FIRST LOVE SHOT BY HER BROTHER.

A KILLING AT ESSEX, STODDARD COUNTY

R. P. Montgomery, an Attorney, Slain by Greenfield Crow—Former Deserted His Wife to Elope With Crow's Sister.

Springfield, Mo., May 3.—The second trial of Greenfield Crow, charged with the murder of R. P. Montgomery, at Essex, Stoddard county, in September, 1907, has been set for the first Monday in August. The jury in the trial just concluded could not agree upon a verdict.

Back of the killing of Montgomery, who was a lawyer, there is a story of love and romance. The cause dates back several years. Montgomery taught school at Essex and fell in love with Crow's sister, who returned his affections.

Montgomery, after leaving the school room, was admitted to the bar, and when he had become prosperous jilted Miss Crow and married another woman.

Following his marriage, it was told in evidence, Montgomery kept up correspondence with his first love and finally induced Miss Crow to elope with him.

They went to Poplar Bluff and other towns in South Missouri, where they lived for a short time. The couple finally planned to leave the country and Montgomery returned to Essex to get some of his personal effects and obtain money due him.

Greenfield Crow, brother of the girl

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ACCUSES THE MINISTER

THE KEEPER OF A RESTAURANT IN OHIO SAYS THE DIVINE BROKE UP HIS HOME.

LATTER ENTERS AN EMPHATIC DENIAL

Admits Having Written Anonymous Letters, but Says His Object Was to Reconcile the Separated Couple.

Marysville, Ohio, May 3.—Charles Ferris, a restaurant keeper of Marysville, formerly engaged in the grocery business at Plain City, has received four anonymous letters during the past few months, two of which were of a threatening nature.

Ferris turned the letters over to Rev. Pryor, of Plain City, and he notified the postmaster at Columbus, where the letters were mailed.

Rev. Homer J. Smith, a Methodist minister of Columbus, was suspected by Ferris, and the Columbus postoffice inspector confronted him with the facts. He finally admitted writing two of the letters, but said that he was merely trying to get Ferris and his wife to live together again. Ferris recently secured a divorce in Marysville.

Ferris stated that Rev. Smith had broken up his home, after a happy married life of nearly twenty years. Rev. Smith is about 60 years of age, and has three married daughters living in Columbus and a son, who is an attorney, residing in Cleveland.

The anonymous letters will be turned over to District Attorney Sherman T. McPherson, at Cincinati, for further investigation.

Mrs. Ferris is now living in Columbus with her sister.

"I Wrote the Letters," Says Smith.

Columbus, Ohio, May 3.—Rev. Homer Smith, formerly of Plain City, admitted writing the letters to Charles Ferris at Marysville, Ohio. While Rev. Smith was a pastor at Plain City Ferris brought divorce proceedings. Two anonymous letters were received by Ferris, in which, it is said, he was abused for not taking his wife back. It is said that the letters might lead to the filing of charges in the church against the minister.

"I wrote those letters," said Mr. Smith, "to get Mr. and Mrs. Ferris together. I have always been a friend of the family. I used to go to the grocery every day when I was in Plain City. Mr. and Mrs. Ferris were here last November, and soon after they separated Mr. Ferris secured a divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty."

He denies that any charges have been filed against him. He says that he has the highest regard for Mrs. Ferris, and claims that the cause of the alleged cruelty was brought about by nervous spells from which the woman suffered occasionally. Officers of the Methodist church declare that no charges have been filed against Rev. Smith.

Rev. Smith was closeted with two postoffice inspectors yesterday, and it is stated that the letters might not be strong enough to constiute a violation of the postal law.

A RUNAWAY WIFE FOUND

WAS LOCATED IN THE COMPANY OF "AFFINITY" IN BUCKEYE STATE.

THEY POSED AS A RESPECTABLE COUPLE

Dr. Davis, Alias Claire, and Mrs. Wilson Fined and Sent to Work House at Kenton, Ohio, After a Lengthy Search.

Kenton, Ohio, May 3.—A prominent and highly respected citizen, who has been known as Dr. E. J. Claire in Kenton, where he has practiced his profession for several years, and a woman whom everybody respected and regarded as his wife, were arrested in Kenton on a charge of illegally dwelling together. Their arrest was brought about by John Wilson, who is the Standard Oil company's agent at East Palestine, Ohio ,and who proves to be the real husband of the arrested woman, whom he sought for years.

Dr. Claire proves to be George Edward Davis, who was wanted at Mahaffey, Pa., on the charge of nonsupport of a wife and six children. Dr. Claire, alias Davis, has since July, 1905, conducted elaborate and elegantly fitted optical parlors in Kenton under the name of the "Kenton Optical company." He is also agent for the Ford Automobile company, and was preparing to open a garage here in connection with his other business.

It develops that Mrs. Wilson, alias Mrs. Claire, was Mrs. Henning before her second marriage, and that following the death of her first husband she was wedded to John Wilson at East Palestine in 1890. Everything went lovely until Davis came to East Palestine under the name of Dr. Claire and opened optical parlors.

They "proved each other's affinities" and eloped to Kenton from there in 1905. Wilson secured a divorce last November. Last March Mrs. Claire left Davis and was rewedded to Wilson the first of this month. She explained to Wilson that she had been over the country selling wares, but did not mention Claire. After living with Wilson a few days, however, she left him again and rejoined Davis here.

Wilson learned that his wife was in Kenton through Charles Henning, son of the woman by the former husband. This son and his brother, John Henning, were aiding in the search for their mother in hopes of effecting a reunion of the two after their long separation and subsequent divorce.

Wilson then began an investigation to learn what had attracted his wife here. He came here disguised, with his moustache and beard shaved off and his hair dyed. He told his troubles to the police, and the breaking down of the outer door of the Claire residence, the arrest of the couple and their confession soon followed.

They pleaded guilty to cohabitation before Mayor Thompson. Davis was fined $100 and costs and given thirty days in the Columbus workhouse, and Mrs. Wilson was fined the same and given thirty days in the Hardin county jail.

Wilson made a dramatic appeal to the woman for reconciliation in the court room following the confession, but she met it with a cold shrug of the shoulders.

Mrs. Wilson has wept continuously since her arrest and asks that Davis be turned free as blameless. Davis, who has a good reputation in business, is nearly prostrated over the exposure. When they were interviewed behind the bars they both said that people would not censure them when they knew all, and that they would yet be happy. Wilson says he will secure another divorce.

CROW HAS EYE REMOVED

CONGRESSMAN SACRIFICES IT TO ESCAPE TOTAL BLINDNESS.

RECOVERY IS PROBABLE AT EARLY DATE

One Optic Was Inflamed and Other Became Sympathetically Affected — Represents the Fourteenth District.

St. Louis, Mo., May 3.—Sacrificing one eye that he might escape total blindness, Congressman Charles A. Crow, of Caruthersville, Mo., submitted to an operation at the Protestant hospital, No. 1011 North Eighteenth street, Saturday, and the doctors said last night that he probably would recover. Mr. Crow's right eye was removed.

Mr. Crow has been suffering for some time with conjunctivitis of the right eye and came to St. Louis last week for treatment. This disease is an inflammation of the eyeball, which causes it to become dry and destroys the use of the lid.

Saturday the inflammation had spread to such an extent it was feared the left eye, weakened by what is known as sympathetic affection, would become infected. It was only when told that he had the choice of either having one eye removed or losing the sight of both, that Mr. Crow would consent to the operation, a very delicate one.

Mr. Crow represents the Fourteenth Missouri congressional district at Washington, and is serving his first term. He was formerly postmaster at Caruthersville under President Roosevelt, and was a strong Taft man. He led the fight in the West Plains convention for the Fourteenth congressional district's instructing for Taft, which was the turning point for Missouri.

Dr. John Green, jr., Mr. Crow's physician, said that the congressman probably would be able to leave the hospital and return to Caruthersville in a few days.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

That of C. A. Wise to Miss Velma Satterwhite to Occur May 17.

(From Monday's Daily.)

C. A. Wise, owner and manager of the Palace theatre, and Miss Velma Satterwhite, one of Sedalia's most refined young ladies, will be united in wedlock at the home of the young lady's mother, Mrs. Sarah Satterwhite, 920 West Fourth street, on Monday, May 17.

The Rev. D. M. Clagett, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church, will perform the ceremony. Only immediate relatives of the contracting parties will be present.

Mr. Wise is one of Sedalia's energetic young business men with a large circle of acquaintances. His bride-to-be is one of the Queen City's most cultured and affable young ladies and every acquaintance will join the Democrat-Sentinel in extending congratulations.

After the ceremony the bride and groom will leave for a two weeks' trip, visiting at Macon, Mo., St. Louis, Chicago, Danville, Ill., Rockville, Ind., and Kansas City.

HIS FREE LOVE IDEAS

Must Be Explained to Ministers by Prof. Zueblin.

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 3.—A set of searching questions as to his alleged beliefs on "Free Love" have been mailed to Prof. Charles Zueblin, the Chicago lecturer, and unless the answers are satisfactory the Ministerial association will discountenance the civic revival arranged for this city in June, at which Prof. Zueblin is to give twelve lectures.

DECIDED AGAINST RAILROADS

U. S. Supreme Court Decides in Favor of Hepburn Act.

Washington, May 3.—The supreme court today, in the case of the government against the anthracite coal carrying roads, involving the constitutionality of the commodities clause of the Hepburn rate law, handed down an opinion reversing and remanding the decision of the trial court, which upheld the contention of the railroads.

New Wall Paper

Another large shipment of new Wall Paper just in. In large lots, five or six rooms, I will give a nice discount. I have a fine line for divided walls which I will surprise you with in prices. A nice line of room mouldings. Buy it and save hammering your nice walls. I furnish hammers if you want them. Now and forever, I am

Yours for Your Own Good

E. E. McCLELLAN

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Lady Lowther and Daughter



Cable to the Democrat-Sentinel.
[Hearst News Service.]

London, May 1.—Lady Lowther and her little girl are shown in the upper picture. Lady Lowther is the wife of Sir Gerard Lowther, British ambassador to Turkey, and she is now with her husband in the embassy at Constantinople. In the panel below is shown a picture of Sir Gerald Lowther.

ORDERED 50,000 BUTTONS

Home Coming Committee Has Started Work of Advertising.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

The Home-Coming advertising committee has given orders to Bastion Bros., of Rochester, N. Y., for the manufacturing of 50,000 souvenir buttons to advertise the Missouri State Fair and the Home-Coming celebration, which will be held in Sedalia in October.

The buttons are unique advertisements and are to be shipped here during the latter part of May. They will be distributed among Sedalians in general and sent to former Sedalians, with a view of inducing them to participate in the celebration.

The buttons are to be made of celluloid, with lithographic inscriptions. The word "Sedalia" will be lithographed prominently across the center of the button.

Above the word "Sedalia," in gold back ground, with lithographed blue letters, will be the words, "Sedalia Home-Coming, Oct. 2-5."

Below the word "Sedalia," with white letters lithographed on blue background, will be the words, "Missouri State Fair, Oct. 2-8."

Weak Kidneys

Weak Kidneys, surely point to weak kidney Nerves. The Kidneys, like the Heart, and the Stomach, find their weakness, not in the organ itself, but in the nerves that control and guide and strengthen them. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is a medicine specifically prepared to reach these controlling nerves. To doctor the Kidneys alone, is futile. It is a waste of time, and of money as well.

If your back aches or is weak, if the urine scalds, or is dark and strong, if you have symptoms of Brights or other distressing or dangerous kidney disease, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative a month—Tablets or Liquid—and see what it can and will do for you. Druggist recommend and sell

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

W. E. BARD DRUG CO.

A GREAT STRIKE IS ON

Against the Lake Carriers' Association at All Ports.

Associated Press.

Chicago, May 1.—The strike of labor unions on the great lakes against the Lake Carriers' association was put into full operation today at all ports.

Probably 12,000 seamen of all classes are involved in the great struggle.

FLED WITH A CHAUFFEUR

WIFE OF A BOSTON TRACTION MAGNATE LEFT HER HOME RATHER HURRIEDLY.

FELL IN LOVE WITH A HANDSOME MAN

Found in a California Town Where She Has Been Ticket Taker at a Cheap Theater—A Mistake, Says the Woman.

Santa Barbara, Cal., May 1.—An exciting chapter of a domestic tragedy begun in Boston nearly two years ago was enacted in this city at 3 o'clock Friday morning, when the chief of police, accompanied by two Los Angeles detectives, forced an entrance into the rooms of H. Keno Marble, his supposed wife and 11-year-old boy, in the Tremont lodging house.

Mrs. Marble, as she has been known here, proved to be Mrs. Nettie E. Shaw, wife of James F. Shaw, a millionaire clubman and president of the Interborough railways of Boston, and the boy is Shaw's son.

Mrs. Shaw first met Marble when he was employed as a chauffeur by her husband, and a few months later her infatuation for him was the gossip of all the fashionable centers of New England.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw separated. She went to the home of her father, H. F. Eldridge, a millonaire brewer of Portsmouth, N. H., while Marble was dismissed by Shaw and opened a garage in Boston.

Later, Mrs. Shaw and her boy disappeared and it was given out that she had gone to California.

Some time afterward Mrs. Shaw and Marble and the boy were found in Pasadena, occupying a handsome place at 420 Arroyo terrace, and a few months ago they went to Santa Barbara, Marble purchasing La Petite theater and managing the moving picture show there.

Every afternoon and night Mrs. Marble, or rather Mrs. Shaw, has sat behind the window of the little box office selling 10-cent tickets.

The move Friday was to get possession of the boy for his father. Afterward the identification of the trio was made positive by Louis Field, a negro, formerly a butler in the Shaw household, whom the detectives took with them.

Mrs. Shaw admitted it and signed an agreement, releasing possession of the boy to Mr. Shaw. Later, however, she engaged an attorney and through him instituted habeas corpus proceedings to retain custody of the boy and prevent his being taken east.

The writ is returnable in the superior court Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

In the meantime Mr. Ross, chief of police, is caring for the boy at his home. On advice of her attorney, Mrs. Shaw refused to talk further than to say: "I realize now that I have made an awful mistake in life. I see it all and I am going to get away from it as soon as I can."

She also was very bitter against her husband for the method he had taken to get his son, claiming that Mr. Shaw knew all the time where they were and had corresponded with the boy, while he had never asked to have him. She referred to her life with Mr. Shaw and said that no woman could live with him.

EX-SLAVE, AT THE AGE OF 70

Begins to Learn to Read, Write and Count at Columbus, Ohio.

Columbus, Ohio, May 1.—"Jack" Gantz, an aged colored man from Wilmington, Clinton county, establishes the record for ambition to obtain an education. He is an ex-slave, and never received any schooling.

When Assistant Attorney General William H. Miller was doing janitor work at the college at Wilmington, in order to pay for his tuition, Gantz was his assistant.

Mr. Miller never forgot his old colored friend, and secured for him the position of messenger in the attorney general's office. One of his duties is to bring the mail from the postoffice. Gantz, in addition to his work, was appointed janitor and messenger in other departments in the statehouse.

Because of his inability to read or write, he occasionally got the mail for the several offices mixed up. "Jack" is close on the three score and ten, and upon the advice of Miller, Gantz started to school about six months ago, and now is as proud as any child who has become proficient in the three R's.

Death of Mrs. Catherine Meyers.

Mrs. Catherine Meyers, a well known resident of the Spring Fork neighborhood, died from general debility at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Neil McGinley, Saturday morning, after a two weeks' illness.

She was over 70 years of age, and had resided with her daughter for several years. Mrs. Meyers had been married twice, and leaves five children, as follows: Martin Meyers, of near Cole Camp; Fred Meyers, of Spring Fork; Mrs. Martin Meyers, Nick Staus and another daughter.

Had a Good Crowd.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Dresden council No. 1629, Knights and Ladies of Security, had a large crowd at the ice cream social given in the hall at Dresden last night. Several members of the Sedalia councils were in attendance and reported having had a good time upon their return last midnight.

THE MISSOURI RATE CASES

Supreme Court Restrains St. Louis Circuit Judge.

Associated Press.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 1.—The supreme court of Missouri today issued a restraining order against Judge Williams, of the St. Louis circuit court, prohibiting him from proceeding with the railroad rate cases filed in his tribunal by Circuit Attorney Jones, of St. Louis.

The writ, which is returnable May 15, was issued at the instance of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain, Missouri, Kansas and Texas, and the St. Louis and Southwestern railroads.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. Relieves painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous, swollen, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

A $33,000 FIRE IN LEXINGTON

Two Stores and the Building They Occupy Consumed By Flames.

Lexington, Mo., May 1.—Fire destroyed the grocery store of George Nasser and the hardware store of Albert Gillon and the three-story building occupied by the stores Friday.

The Nasser stock, valued at $8,000, was partly insured. Gillon's stock was valued at $10,000, with insurance of $5,500. The building is owned by W. R. Gosewich, of Los Angeles, Cal., and was valued at $15,000. The insurance is $6,000.

BABY'S TERRIBLE WATERY ECZEMA

Itching Humor Broke Out on Tiny Mite's Cheeks—Would Tear His Face Till Blood Streamed Down Unless Hands were Bandaged—Spent $50 on Useless Treatments.

CURED BY CUTICURA AT COST OF BUT $1.50



"When my little boy was two and a half months old he broke out on both cheeks with eczema. It was the itchy, watery kind and we had to keep his little hands wrapped up all the time, and if he would happen to get them uncovered he would claw his face till the blood streamed down on his clothing. We called in a physician at once, but he gave an ointment which was so severe that my babe would scream when it was put on. We changed doctors and medicines until we had spent fifty dollars or more and baby was getting worse. I was so worn out watching and caring for him night and day that I almost felt sure the disease was incurable. But finally reading of the good results of the Cuticura Remedies, I determined to try them. I can truthfully say I was more than surprised, for I bought only a dollar and a half's worth of the Cuticura Remedies (Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills), and they did more good than all my doctors' medicines I had tried, and in fact entirely cured him. I will send you a photograph taken when he was fifteen months old and you can see his face is perfectly clear of the least spot or scar of anything. If I ever have this trouble again, I will never think of doctoring but will send for the Cuticura Remedies at once. As it is, I would never think of using any other than Cuticura Soap for my babe. You are at liberty to publish this, it may help some distressed mother as I was helped. Mrs. W. M. Comerer, Burnt Cabins, Pa., Sept. 15, 1908."

Cuticura Soap (25c.), Ointment (50c.), Resolvent (50c.), and Chocolate Coated Pills (25c.), are sold throughout the world. Depots: London, 27, Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5, Rue de la Paix; Australia, R. Towns & Co., Sydney; South Africa, Lennon, Ltd., Cape Town, Natal, etc.; Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., 137 Columbus Ave., Boston.

Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

ELKINS IS IN P. O. FIGHT

THE WEST VIRGINIAN TRIES TO KEEP REMLEY OUT OF COLUMBIA JOB.

MESSRS. KERENS AND WARNER IN IT, TOO

Republican's Criticism of McKinley Twelve Years Ago Basis for Strong Opposition in the United States Senate.

Washington, May 1.—There has been no complication in postoffice affairs so interesting as that regarding the selection of Edgar A. Remley for postmaster at Columbia, Mo.

His nomination was sent in March 22, and is hanging up in the senate committee on postoffices and post roads. Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, prevented the confirmation of Mr. Remley. He is trying to get Senator Stone, of Missouri to help rally the democrats to prevent Remley's confirmation.

Senator Stone has received communications protesting against Remley on the sole ground that he was an ardent republican partisan. After communicating further with the prominent men of Columbia, Senator Stone received information that the men who protested would withdraw their opposition.

The fight on Remley was made quite intense, and Senator Elkins produced papers containing statements made by Remley twelve years ago, when President McKinley named Elkins' brother for postmaster.

Remley was a candidate and had the indorsement of every prominent republican member of the organization, just as he has their indorsement now, but Richard C. Kerens joined with Elkins and secured the appointment of Elkins' brother.

The Elkins-Kerens influence was sufficient to hold Elkins in office until he died, notwithstanding the desire of Senator Warner two years ago to name Remley.

Now Elkins is circulating the statement made by Remley twelve years ago, after his failure to land the postmastership, in which he severely criticised President McKinley. Remley was quite strong in his language in declaring that McKinley was weak and insincere.

Senators Warner and Elkins have had some tart conversations on the subject, and Warner has notified Elkins that he intends to fight the confirmation through. Also that he thinks Elkins has been very presumptuous in trying to control appointments in Missouri.

Elkins told Warner to go ahead and fight, and so far as dipping into Missouri affairs, he has practically said he will do as he pleases, and is not going to be deterred in fighting the nomination of Remley because the postmastership is in Boone county, Mo., and he a senator from West Virginia.

Efforts have been made to get Mr. Taft to withdraw the nomination of Remley, but he is not disposed to take any such action upon the showing made.

MACHINE AGENT ARRESTED

Charged With Taking Sewing Machine From a Woman.

James McCoy, assistant manager of the Singer Sewing Machine company, was arrested by Sheriff M. T. Henderson at Warrensburg Saturday on a state warrant issued by Judge J. B. Hughes, of Georgetown, charging McCoy with having burglarized the home of Mrs. George Wilson, in Cedar township, last Wednesday.

McCoy was released on bong, signed by C. H. Raiffeisen, for appearance in Judge Hughes' court tomorrow.

According to Mrs. Wilson she had purchased a machine from the company and had made all payments with the exception of one. While she was away from home last Wednesday McCoy is alleged to have broken into her home and taken the machine.

A FORMER SEDALIAN DEAD

Thomas J. Cummings, a Brother of Mrs. M. D. Sturges.

Thomas J. Cummings died in St. Louis ednesday, April 28, 1909, at the age of 61 years. Mr. Cummings was a son of the late Thomas J. and Margaret D. Cummings, formerly of Logansport, Ind., where Mr. Cummings was born.

Mr. Cummings came to Sedalia in the early '60s with his parents, and lived here for several years removing to St. Louis in 1874, where he was connected with the Wilson-O'Bear Grocer Co. and other wholesale houses in that city.

George W. Cummings, of St. Louis; Mrs. M. D. Sturges, of Sedalia, and Mrs. M. W. McLellan, of Troy, Mo., brother and sisters, were with him during his last illness. He leaves one son, Frank, and a daughter, Stella. The interment was in St. Peter's cemetery, St. Louis.

S.S.S.

CURES OLD SORES

We want to show you in this short, but honest and reasonable talk, how and why S. S. S. cures Old Sores. We do not claim that S. S. S. works wonders, but we do know it will cure sores and ulcers, and its record of forty years past abundantly justifies this confidence.

Any old sore shows an unhealthy and impure condition of the blood. It is a diseased condition of the flesh at that particular spot, caused and kept inflamed and irritated by a continual discharge into it of unhealthy matter from the circulation. In various ways the blood becomes contaminated and polluted. A long spell of fever, or other sickness, breeds disease germs in the system; the failure of nature's eliminative members to remove the waste and refuse matters of the body, the excessive use of minerals in certain diseases, infected wounds, bites and stings of insects, etc., all contaminate the blood with morbid matter and germs which sooner or later manifest their presence by a sore or ulcer which refuses to heal under the ordinary treatment of local applications.

External treatment can never cure a chronic sore or ulcer, because it does not reach the blood. The place will remain open as long as it is used as a drainage for the impurity which is in the blood, and in addition to the worry and anxiety caused by an old sore, there is always danger of its becoming cancerous, if a cure is not effected. Purify the blood, and nourish the flesh with a rich, healthy circulation, and then the place will heal of its own accord.

BAD SORE FROM AN OLD WOUND.

I want to recommend S. S. S. to any who are in need of a blood purifier, and especially as a remedy for sores and obstinate ulcers. In 1877 I had my leg badly cut on the sharp edge of a barrel and having on a blue woolen stocking, the place was badly poisoned from the dye. A great sore formed and for years no one knows what I suffered with the place. I tried, it seemed to me, everything I had ever heard of but I got no relief and I thought I would have to go through life with an angry, discharging sore on my leg. At last I began the use of S. S. S., and it was but a short time until I saw that the place was improving. I continued it until it removed all the poison from my blood and made a complete and permanent cure of the sore.

250 Navy St., Brooklyn, N. Y. JNO. ELLIS.

A CANCEROUS ULCER.

I had a large sore or ulcer on my face and nothing I tried would benefit me. It began with shooting pains and soon the itching was terrible. At first it discharged a watery fluid which soon changed to one of thicker composition and the pain became very severe. It was nearly as large as a dollar and terribly inflamed in all the surrounding parts. It had been there so long and growing worse all the time, I became very much discouraged and alarmed. At last I began the use of S. S. S. At first the ulcer seemed to get worse, but I soon found that the poison was being removed from the blood and I continued to take S. S. S. It was not long before I noted a decided improvement and I kept up the use of the medicine until I was entirely cured of this cancerous ulcer. This has been some time ago and there is no sign of a return of the trouble.

Gary, Fla. MRS. W. A. WRIGHT.

POISONED FROM INSECT BITE.

Wilmington, N. C.

From the bite of an insect I was poisoned and had a dreadful sore on my ankle and took different treatments with no benefit. I was induced to try S. S. S., and after a few bottles it cleared my system and cleansed my blood and cured the sore. My mother took it for rheumatism, with success. I cheerfully recommend S. S. S. where a blood purifier is needed.

109 South First St. CHAS. S. PRIDGEN.

S. S. S. cures old sores by removing the causes which produce them. It goes down into the circulation, drives out all impurities and poisons, and by nourishing the flesh with rich, pure blood causes the place to heal naturally and permanently. S. S. S. does not make a surface cure, but, being the greatest of all blood purifiers, it begins at the bottom and by rebuilding broken down tissue, and supplying healthful, healing qualities to the circulation, causes the place to fill in with firm, healthy flesh, while it steadily but surely removes the cause and effects a permanent cure. The sore cannot remain when the blood is pure, and S. S. S. will thoroughly purify the blood. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

S. S. S. is for sale at all drug stores.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

IDLE MEN NUMBER 1,700

Underground Employes of St. Joe Lead Company Strike.

Associated Press.

Bonne Terre, Mo., May 1.—The strike of miners in the Deadwood mine spread to this place today, when the underground employes of the St. Joe Lead company quit work.

The big mills of the company were forced to close and 1,700 men are idle.

$50.00 REWARD

For recovery of a dark bay mare, about 15½ hands high, with spur marks on side; has crooked nose; small lump from injury on one hind leg; cheap horn saddle; limber-bit bridle. Will pay $50 reward for recovery or information leading to her recovery. Address James Gault, sheriff, Cooper county, Boonville, Mo.

SOLD LEASE FOR $400,000

Big Deal Consummated in the Kansas Oil Fields.

Associated Press.

Independence, Kas., May 1.—The Lucian Pittman lease in the Glen Pool oil field, containing twenty-three wells, with a capacity of 2,500 barrels per day, was sold today by Argive & Compton, of this city, to the Gulf Pipe Line company for $400,000.

BARGE STRUCK A REEF

Sunk Off Huron Island With Its Crew of Seven Persons.

Associated Press.

Marquette, Mich., May 1.—Fears that yesterday's gale on the lakes would result in disasters were realized yesterday when it became known that the George Nester struck a reef off Huron island and sank with its crew of seven.

The steamer Russia foundered off a detour in Lake Michigan last night. All were saved.

A TEAM OF HORSES KILLED

Belonged to H. E. Huston and Was Hit by an Engine.

H. E. Huston, the transfer man, lost a $250 team of horses Saturday morning. The animals were hitched to a transfer wagon standing on a side track in the vicinity of the Missouri Pacific passenger station, awaiting the arrival of the fast mail train to transfer the United States mail to the postoffice and the M., K. & T. station.

An extra eastbound Missouri Pacific freight train, in charge of Conductor Murphy, with Engineer C. T. Alcorn in the cab of engine No. 2391, approached the station, with a heavy flow of steam.

The animals took fright, and the driver, Ted Morris, ran in front of them, hoping to quiet the equines. Instead, they swerved onto the main line track, just in front of the locomotive, which struck one horse, killing it instantly and fatally injuring the other. Officer John Jackson shot the injured horse.

The carcasses were taken to the Hoffman soap factory.

Morris, the driver, sustained a painful, though not serious injury to his shoulder and side, necessitating the attention of Dr. F. R. Morley, but he was able to be outdoors last afternoon.

Sick headache, constipation and biliousness are relieved by King's Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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Time Table

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

No.	Arr.	Going East.	Depart.
4	12:15	St. L. Exp.	12:20 a m
12	2:10 a m	St. L. Lim.	2:15 a m
10	2:35 a m	St. L. Lim.	2:40 a m
22	10:30 a m	Local Pas.	10:40 a m
2	1:00 p m	St L. Sp'cl.	1:05 p m
8	4:25 p m	Mail & Ex.	4:30 p m
38	9:10 p m	K. C. Accom.	
630			5:20 a m

East bound local freight departs from yards at 7:15 a. m.

No.	Arr.	Going West.	Depart.
9	1:39 a m	Joplin Lim.	1:45 a m
3	4:00 a m	Col. Ex.	4:05 a m
11	4:45 a m	K C St J Lm	4:50 a m
37	.....	Local Pass.	7:15 a m
21	2:50 p m	Local Pass	3:00 p m
1	2:30 p m	Col & St J Spe	2:35 p m
7	6:57 a m		7:02 a m
635	7:15 p m		

West bound local freight departs from station at 7:30 a m.

LEXINGTON BRANCH.

No 622, Passenger, arr	10:30 a m
No. 624, Passenger, arr	10.55 p m
No. 623, Passenger, dep	5:15 a m
No. 621, Passenger, dep	2:55 p m
No. 691, Local Frt., dep	6:40 a m
No. 692, Local Frt., arr	2:00 p m

WARSAW BRANCH.

No. 643, Local Frt., departs	7.15 a m
No. 644, Local, Frt., arr	2:40 p m
No. 637, local pass., depts	10.45 a m
No. 636, local pass., arr	2:15 p m

MK&T

No.	Arr.	North and East.	Depart.
2	8:25 a m	Local Pass.	8:50 a m
4	8:05 p m	Local Pass.	8:30 p m
6	12:35 a m	Flyer	12:40 a m
504		Da. Except Sun	6:15 a m

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.

No.	Arr.	Going South.	Depart.
1	6:25 p m	Local Pass.	6:50 p m
3	8:50 a m	Local Pass.	9:10 a m
5	3:17 a m	Flyer	3:22 a m
511	....	Local Freight	7:10 a m

KANSAS CITY DIVISION.

515	Da. Except Sun	8:35 a m
451	Da. Except Sun	2:00 p m
No. 516 arrives		3:55 p m
No. 452 arrives		5:00 a m

34 Trains In and Out of Sedalia Every 24 Hours.

VERDICT OF ACQUITTAL

IN THE CASE OF MISS "JOHNNY" DAVIDSON ON CHARGE OF MURDER.

CASE HAD ATTRACTED WIDE ATTENTION

Defendant Shot and Killed Roy Ramsour June 6, 1908—Mother and Sister Broke Down During the Girl's Trial.

Associated Press.

Neosho, Mo., May 1.—Miss "Johnny" Davidson, the young heiress, on trial here charged with the murder of Roy Ramsour, her sister's suitor, was acquitted by a jury this morning.

The case was submitted at 4 o'clock Friday, and there were many who anticipated a hung jury. Miss Davidson bore up through the ordeal much better than her mother and sister, both of whom broke down many times during the trial. The court and yard were filled with anxious friends last evening, waiting and hoping for an early decision from the jury. Miss Johnny remained calm and undisturbed.

Miss Bessie (Johnny) Davidson killed Roy Ramsour June 6, 1908. She is a good looking young woman and is joint heiress with her sister to a $40,000 estate. The girl says she killed Ramsour because he refused to retract an epithet applied to her.

Miss Johnny and Ramsour quarreled June 6. The girl's mother told them to go into the yard to settle the dispute. There, the girl claims, Ramsour called her a name which she resented and demanded that he "take it back." He laughed at her anger.

At this point, it is said, Miss Davidson ran to the home of her grandmother, near by, and secured a revolver. Returning she followed Ramsour, who had started to leave, demanding an apology. He refused and she shot him, the bullet entering his body near the heart.

Miss Davidson was arrested and bound over at her preliminary trial in $5,000 bail.

NO DRINKS IN THE CLUBS

Last Chance for "Toddies" in Sunflower State Gone.

Topeka, May 1.—Every member of any club or lodge in Kansas, where the locker system of dispensing liquors is in use, or where the members of the lodge are allowed to meet and drink intoxicating liquors, is liable to the same punishment as is meted out to a jointkeeper.

That is one of the chief points in an opinion issued Friday by Fred S. Jackson, attorney general.

Police Only in the Night.

Montgomery, Mo., May 1.—The city administration has inaugurated a new order. Only night police officers are deemed necessary, and the city marshal himself will sleep in day time in the future and be on duty all night. There are three saloons in the town with 2,500 population.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

REV. W. D. FELLOWS PREACHES BACCALAUREATE SERMON TODAY.

CLASS NIGHT EXERCISES MONDAY NIGHT

Commencement Exercises on Tuesday Night, May 4—Names of the Graduates—The Program Presented in Detail.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Following is the program for the closing exercises of the Green Ridge High school, given in the Local News:

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. D. Fellows on Sunday, May 2, at 11 o'clock at the M. E. church. Invocation by Rev. J. D. Chappelle.

Class Night, Monday Night.

Piano solo—Hazel Murphy.

Invocation—Rev. R. V. Hughes.

Male quartette—Lynn Black, Vernie Rogers, Harold Ream, Alba Ream.

Class Prophecy—Helen Habecker.

Piano solo—Eva Upton.

Lecture, "The Divine Workman and His Masterpiece"—Rev. R. A. Hunt.

Commencement, Tuesday Night.

Class motto: The Ropes of the Present Pull the Bells of the Future.

Class flower: Tea rose.

Class colors: Old gold and white.

March, Selected—Miss Gertrude Calvert.

Invocation—Rev. R. C. Walker.

Essay, Life's Crested Billows—Hazel Dee Murphy (salutatorian).

Piano solo—Myrtle Rogers.

Oration, Slavery—Harold Ream.

Essay, The Star of Hope—Maud May Avery.

Vocal duet—Rev. R A. Hunt, Rev. R. C. Walker.

Oration, Restriction of Immigration—G. Donald Rayburn.

Essay, Our Country—Helen E. Habecker.

Piano solo—Miss Pearl Early.

Essay, The Value of Today—Mary A. Hollenbeck.

Vocal duet—Eunice Donaldson, Lucile Sanders.

Oration, He Who Will Not When He May, Cannot When He Would—Alba Ream.

Essay, The Never Failing Friend—Maud Keele.

Male quartete—E. B. Helman, E. E. Durand, W. H Crisman, L. B. Ream.

Oration, True Education—William H. Weller.

Essay, True Greatness—Eva Upton (valedictorian).

Piano solo—Ethel Wilcox.

Presentation of diplomas—Rev. R. A. Hunt.

Following are the members of the graduating class:

Eva Upton, Hazel Dee Murphy, Harold Ream, Mary A. Hollenbeck, Maud May Avery, George Donald Rayburn, Helen E. Habecker, Alba Ream, Maud Keele, William Heusted Weller.

Preventics—those Candy Cold Cure tablets—will safely and quickly check all colds and the grip. Try them once and see! 48 25c. Sold by the W E. Bard Drug Co.

BROUGHT TO THE HOSPITAL

Edward Weaver, Who Was Hurt North of Green Ridge.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Edward Weaver, employed by Clarence Johnson, a farmer and stockman five miles north of Green Ridge, suffered a severe laceration of the left limb while at work Thursday afternoon, in consequence of which it may be necessary to amputate the member.

Weaver was driving a team of horses hitched to a disc, when the equines took fright at the falling hail stones. They made a dash forward, throwing the driver to the ground. A moment later the disc ran over his left foot, almost completely severing it.

Dr. Ferguson, of Green Ridge, temporarily dressed the wound and the patient was brought to Sedalia, where Dr. R. R. Morley rendered additional attention.

It cannot be determined at present whether the limb will be saved or not.

Pineules are for Backache, and bring quick relief to lumbago, rheumatism, fatigue and all other symptoms of Kidney diseases. They are a tonic to the entire system and build up strength and health. Price 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Company.

A Columbia-Hannibal Line.

An ordinance has been filed to be acted upon next Monday night by the city council at Hannibal granting the right of way to the Mexico, Perry & Santa Fe Traction company into and through Hannibal from the western city limits to the Union station.

The company will build 100 miles of interurban road from Columbia to Hannibal, via Mexico, Perry and New London, at an approximate cost of $25,000 a mile.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Mrs. Amick, who formerly lived here, was stricken with paralysis at her home in Sedalia a few days ago, says the Otterville Mail. Her daughter, Mrs. J. Y. Bente and her sister, Mrs. Howard Adams, have been at her bedside.

A BURGLAR AS A FIREMAN

ROBBER PUT OUT BLAZE STARTED BY HIM IN DWELLING IN ST. LOUIS.

HE COULD HAVE ESCAPED, BUT REMAINED

Carroll Higgins Said He Knew Women Were Asleep There and He Feared They Might Be Killed.

St. Louis, May 1.—To save the lives of seven persons, most of them women, who were asleep in the house, Carroll Higgins, a confessed burglar, turned fireman in the home of the Rev. Jacob J. Bernthal. 7416 Vermont avenue. At the risk of capture, he remained to extinguish the blaze his own candle had started.

The flame of Higgins' candle came in contact with a curtain in the Bernthal home. Higgins tore down the curtain. He burned his hands severely, but prevented the blaze from spreading.

When the fire was out Higgins went through the apartments of each member of the family and helped himself to silverware and jewelry. Then he had a feast in the cellar.

Higgins knew the head of the house was away, he said, and that most of the family were women. He broke open the cellar door and got in that way.

"I could have ducked when the fire started," he said, "but I knew if I did those women asleep up stairs would probably be burned to death or hurt, so I stuck. Every minute I expected them to smell the smoke and come down stairs, but they didn't."

Mrs. Bernthal, her mother, Mrs. Loehr, her son, William, three daughters, Eda, Martha and Lillian, and a servant were in the house the night of the burglary.

Higgins appears to have a mania for entering the homes of pastors. He has confessed to entering the home of the Rev. Fr. James J. Furlong the night of January 29. Two gold chalices were among the loot there. The burglar's conscience was evidently touched for two days later the minister received one of the chalices by a messenger.

MRS. DODSON GETS BUSY

Broomfield Convicted of Padding Petition for Saloon License.

He was defeated by Mrs. C. H. McCracken, who has kept Dodson "dry" for five years.

And that was not all. Broomfield was convicted today of having passed a petition with unauthorized names and fined $50 and costs.

New York Publishers Convicted.

New York, May 1.—A verdict of guilty of criminal libel was found yesterday against the publishers of the New York American by the jury in the trial charging the publication of an article libeling John D. Rockefeller, jr. It was alleged that Mr. Rockefeller was interested in conducting a peonage at a mine in Illinois.

Boys Will Be Boys

and are always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns or scalds. Don't neglect such things—they may result serious if you do. Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment according to directions right away and it will relieve the pain and heal the trouble. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Blakely Not a Professional.

Columbia, Mo., May 1.—R. M. Blakely, third baseman on the University of Missouri baseball team, whose eligibility was questioned by the University of Nebraska athletic authorities, is not the Blakely who played with the Hot Springs team of the Arkansas league.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh, sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

EIGHTY RECIPES by Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, the Noted Authority, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine, published under the title

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This splendid collection of original recipes will be a welcome aid in your baking. It is full of clever new dishes, and old ones handled in delightful new ways,—the best things known to the culinary art. There are also many valuable baking hints with much information useful in every household.

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WAS A DOUBLE WEDDING

OCCURRED SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE RESIDENCE OF MRS. ELIZABETH YANKEE.

THE REV HAROLD COOPER OFFICIATED

George L. Brooking and Miss Jennie McCain and Harvey Scott and Miss Edith Jackson Happy Contracting Parties.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

A double wedding occurred at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Yankee, 422 East Twelfth street, at high noon Saturday, when the Rev. Harold Cooper, pastor of the First Congregational church, united in wedlock George L. Brooking, a young baker, of Sweet Springs, and Miss Jennie McCain, of Monett, Mo., and Harvey Scott and Miss Edith Jackson, the latter couple of Sweet Springs.

The latter event was an elopement to avoid parental objections on the side of the bride, and their plan was unique to get away from the bride's relatives.

Miss Jackson, under the guise of coming to Sedalia with a lady friend to do some shopping, boarded Lexington branch train No. 622 and came to Sedalia. On the same train was her intended husband, Harvey Scott.

Mr. Brooking and Miss McCain had preceded the couple here Friday night.

All four proceeded to the home of Mrs. Yankee, the latter's son being a friend of the quartette.

At the hour stated the Rev. Cooper pronounced the words that united the two couples.

There were no attendants at the weddings, aside from the members of the Yankee family, and they, likewise the officiating minister, were sworn to secrecy, while Deputy Recorder H. B. Scott kindly consented to withhold the marriage license from the press.

Mr. and Mrs Scott intended to keep the news of the wedding a secret as long as possible, but their plans failed materially.

The bridal couples returned to their homes at Sweet Springs last afternoon, laboring under the hallucination that no one knew of the event.

Death of Mrs. Shaffer.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Word was received here Saturday of the death of Mrs. Ellen Shaffer at Hot Springs, Ark. Her death was caused from acute bowel trouble, after one week's illness. Mrs. Shaffer was the mother of the Misses Christine and Birdie Shaffer, former teachers of this city.

The burial will likely be at Barnesville, Ohio.

A guaranteed cough remedy is Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup. For coughs, colds, whooping cough, hoarseness and all bronchial affections. Best for children because it is quick to relieve and tastes good. Gently laxative. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

DEAD, 100; INJURED, 200

Later Information Regarding Tornado on Thursday.

Associated Press.

Memphis, Tenn. May 1.—While some sections in the pathway of the storm are still to be heard from, information so far received from Arkansas, Western Tennessee and Northern Mississippi brings the total number of killed by Thursday's tornado to one hundred, and the injured to two hundred, many of them perhaps fatally.

Each dispatch describes the storm as the most destructive that ever visited that section.

WILL PROSECUTE A TRUST

Going After the American Sugar Refining Company.

Associated Press.

New York May 1.—That criminal prosecutions by the federal government will be begun as the result of disclosures in the recent suit of the government against the American Sugar Refining company was announced today by Henry Stimson, special government attorney.

"Aileen Dee" Changes Hands.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

C. W. Daugherty, circuit clerk, Saturday sold to Woods Cones, of Pierce, Neb., one of the finest racing mares in the country. The equine is known as "Aileen Dee" and brought more than $1,000. It will be shipped to the new owner today.

NINETEEN COUNTIES "DRY"

Closed 585 Saloons and Ten Breweries Friday Night.

Detriot, Mich., May 1.—Friday night 585 saloons and ten breweries in nineteen counties of Michigan, which voted "dry" at the last election, closed their doors. Thirty of the thirty-three counties in the state are now dry.

Following are the nineteen counties where the liquor dealers closed Friday night: Allegan, Eaton, Livingstone, Calhoun, Jackson, Branch, Hilisdale, Ionia, Genesee, Sanilac, Tuscola, Isabella, Newaygo, Clare, Alcona, Kalkaska, Bonzie, Charlevoix and Emmett.

Conductor's Wife Gets $1,200.

The case of Mrs. Anna B. Lepper, wife of D. N. Lepper, a Wabash railroad conductor, against Mrs. Christina Konantz, a dentist of Quincy, Ill., charging her with being the cause of domestic troubles and alienating the affections of her husband, was brought to a close in the Adams county circuit court last Thursday night.

Mrs. Lepper, who is now separated from her husband, brought suit against Mrs. Konantz, claiming $10,000 damages. She was given $1,200.

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Special Sale of Monuments at Reduced Prices. It Will Pay You to Come and See Us.

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LECTURE OF REV. COOPER

AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH FRIDAY NIGHT WAS PLEASING.

HE TOLD OF TRIP ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

Was Accompanied By His Wife, and Yet Only $200 Was Expended on the Trip—Many Unusual Incidents Were Related.

The lecture given by Rev. Harold Cooper at the First Congregational church on Friday evening was well attended, in spite of the change of the weather. The opening number was an illustrated solo by Miss Grace Carman, "Shawnee River," which was heartily applauded.

In introducing the subject the speaker said that he had made several trips across the water, but the one which he intended to describe was a wedding trip taken by Mrs. Cooper and himself in the summer of 1907.

It was incidentally remarked that a young college boy was included in the party and he kept them alive as only a college boy can.

At one of the palaces in Rome a party went to see a famous painting known as the "Aurora." The silence in the room could be felt as they gazed upon this masterpiece. The attention of the crowd was then drawn to a painting of "Adam and Eve," in which Eve was giving Adam an apple. At last the college boy broke the silence by exclaiming, "Gee! I guess she is handing him a lemon!"

Rev. and Mrs. Cooper travelled with eyes open for the beautiful, and many splendid descriptions were given of the palaces, gardens and other places of interest visited. The route taken was by Quebec and the St. Lawrence river to Liverpool, thence to London, Paris, Switzerland, Milan, Venice, Florence, Rome and Naples.

From Naples the party sailed by Gibraltar across the Atlantic to New York. A special feature was an evening on the Bay of Venice. In the twilight of the evening the gondola was rowed out to the center of the bay, where a large music boat was anchored. A party of musicians were on the boat, and then with the lights of Venice in the distance, and the music boat lighted wih Chinese lanterns, the singers sang "Ill Trovatore" as a special compliment to this party.

Many were interested in the expenses of such a trip. Rev. Cooper stated that they made the trip on $200, though a little more ought to be taken for luxuries. He said that anyone could make the trip on a little over $250, provided that they were traveling about two months.

A list of the expenses was then given. A great deal of money was saved by traveling in the second cabin of the Atlantic liner. The company and the accommodations were almost as good as the accommodations in the first cabin; in fact, he said that they were better than those in the best Sedalia hotel, and that is saying a good deal, for Sedalia is noted for its fine hotels. The round trip in the second cabin was about $100. The railway fare from Liverpool to Naples was less than $40.

Instead of going to the hotels, they went to the pensions, which are private boarding houses of a nigh class. Everything is cheaper on the continent, so that the rates were only about $1.40 per day. The meals at these places were excellent. At the evening meal there would be about seven courses, with all the wine and fruit desired, though Rev. Cooper and his party drank pure water instead of the wine.

Cabs are very cheap, costing only about one quarter for a trip across the city. When the account was reckoned it was found that they had really made the trip on $200, though the regular conducted tours charge nearly $500 for the same trip.

Many amusing incidents were told in the lecture, but none more amusing than that, telling how the reverend got his hair cut while in Rome.

He found a large barber's shop on one of the main streets, but upon entering found that the barber could not understand English. The fun commenced by an attempt to tell the barber that he did not desire much to be cut off. Signs were made, but they were useless, and at last, in desperation, Rev. Cooper called for the scissors.

He then cut a long hair and a short one and laid them side by side before the man and pointed to the short one. The man seemed to understand, and the victim leaned back in the chair, but horrors! the man had misunderstood the sign and had cut off a great deal in some places and a very little in others, so that the reverend had upon examination a corrugated roof. It was several weeks before the hair was adjusted to its proper condition.

Though there were many splendid places to be seen across the water, yet the speaker said that they were glad when they reached the shores of this continent, and the expression was that after all America was the land of opportunity.

The lecture closed with a splendid illustrated reading of "Home, Sweet Home." The proceeds from the lecture were for the trustees of the church, a nice amount being realized.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.



There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, brick-dust or sediment in the urine, head ache, back ache, lame back, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervousness, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and better health in that organ is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. **Swamp-Root** corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest because of its remarkable health restoring properties. A trial will convince anyone.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, and don't let a dealer sell you something in place of Swamp-Root—if you do you will be disappointed.

UNIVERSITY IS CLEARED

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM GETS BLOW AT HANDS OF LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

THE "UNIVERSITY MISSOURIAN" MAY DIE

Substitute Bill to Prohibit Newspaper—No Funds Allowed for Department—Report of the Investigators.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 1.—The investigation of the state university by a special house committee ended last afternoon when the committee submitted its report to the house and was discharged.

The report, which, except in one or two instances, is general in terms, fails to bear out the charges in the resolution that prompted the appointment of the committee. It is an exoneration of the university management.

The seriousness of the reflections that have been cast on the institution caused the conservative members of the house to object even to recommendations made in the report, and it was ordered filed with the understanding that the house did not bind itself to concur in any part of it, particularly the few criticisms.

Contrary to predictions, the report does not recommend the abolishment of the school of journalism. It states that in the opinion of the committee the money used for its maintenance could "be put to a more useful purpose in other departments of the university."

A severe blow, however, will be dealt to the school of journalism by a substitute to the educational bill, which will be submitted to the house by the appropriations committee.

The substitute will contain a provision, it is said, that no newspaper shall be conducted at the university that derives its support from paid advertisements.

The Missourian, published by the students of the school of journalism, now accepts advertisements from the merchants of Columbia, and the discontinuance of this practice, friends of the department fear, will result in the abandonment of the paper, the medium through which the embryo journalists are given practical instruction in newspaper work.

The appropriations committee also has refused to set aside money to support the school of journalism.

Among the recommendations made by the house investigating committee are that the entire board of curators, instead of an executive board of three, supervise the expenditures; that the expenses of the various departments be kept separate; that hotel and traveling expenses be curtailed; that the last two years of the medical course be confined to clinical work in St. Louis or Kansas City be abandoned; that poor students be permitted to share in the money paid for janitor service; that the funds of the university be placed in a Columbia bank that will pay interest on daily balances, and that the co-operative store be moved from the campus.

Praise is given by the committee for the management of Benton and Lathrop halls and the University Dining club, which was found to be "efficiently and economically conducted."

Regarding the agricultural department, the committee says:

"We feel that this is one of the most important departments, and is destined to be of untold value to the agricultural interests of the state, and should receive such appropriations as will enable it to accomplish its full measure of usefulness in experiments and instruction beneficial to the agricultural and horticultural interests of the state."

President Hill also comes in for a word of praise.

"The committee was accorded the most courteous treatment by President Hill," says the report, "and by his active assistance enabled the committee satisfactorily to conduct its investigation and to become acquainted with the various departments.

"We believe that under his administration, with proper support, the University of Missouri will continue to grow in usefulness and become one of the greatest of American universities."

The report was signed by the three members of the committee—Representatives Auerswald, Hensley and Hardesty. Mr. Auerswald, who was chairamn, and Mr. Hardesty signed a supplemental report recommending that R. B. Price be continued as treasurer of the university, even though the custody of the funds is given to some Columbia bank.

A previous partial report, suggesting that the attorneys employed by the university collect the collateral inheritance tax, which, by law, goes to the institution, was ordered filed with the final report.

A SMILE

is a pretty hard thing to accomplish when you're blue, bilious and out of sorts. There is a sure cure for all kinds of stomach and liver complaints—constipation and dyspepsia. Ballard's Herbine is mild, yet absolutely effective in all cases. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Received a Death Message.

(From Sunady's Daily.)

Mrs. J. Lumpee received a telegram yesterday morning announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. Teresa Seifert, at her home at Kansas City, aged 69 years. Mr. and Mrs. Lumpee went to Kansas City last afternoon to attend the funeral.

Pains of women, head pains or any pains, stopped in twenty minutes, sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Will Give a Baby Show.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Dufur have arranged a baby show to be given during the latter part of this month, at which more than one hundred babes are expected to be entered, and a beautiful silver cup will be awarded to the most perfect babe.

FORMED A NEW CLUB

Young Men to Build House on Flat Creek for Recreation Purposes.

A number of young men of this city have formed an organization which has not yet been named, for the purpose of erecting a club house on Flat creek, to be used for the enjoyment of the members of the club.

Preliminary work for the erection of the club house has begun and soon the plans of the organization will have been carried out.

Those who have already taken an interest in the adventure are: Damon Fay, who has been elected temporary custodian of the funds; Will Harley, Johnson Easton, Charles Messerly, Leonard and Will Meyer, Carson Meredith, Virgil Williams and Pitkin Stanley.

The club house will cost approximately $300 and will be erected on the south bank of Flat creek, on land owned by the City Water company.

It will be so erected as to be converted into a dance hall later and will have annexed a screen porch.

Later boats will be purchased for the enjoyment of the members who desire that sport.

WILL CELEBRATE TO-DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Michael McGinley Will Observe Wedding Anniversary.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Michael McGinley, the well known grocer, and wife, will today celebrate the twenty-seventh anniversary of their marriage, which occurred at Terre Haute, Ind., exactly twenty-seven years ago today.

Thirty-one years ago Mr. McGinley engaged in the retail grocery business in Sedalia. Four years later he went to Terre Haute, where he was united in wedlock to Miss Anna Burns, of that place, and shortly afterwards they came to Sedalia, where they have resided since.

For thirty-one years Mr. McGinley has been one of Sedalia's most substantial and well to do merchants, possessing the confidence and respect of hundreds of acquaintances, who will join with the Democrat-Sentinel in wishing for him and his good wife the pleasure of celebratng many more wedding anniversaries.

Julius Kolbohn's Moustache.

Julius Kolbohn, one of the popular M., K. & T. shops' foremen, tried his hand at barbering in his "shack" at the shops one day the past week, but did not make a monumental success of it. His moustache needed trimming, so Julius set about it to do the job.

There was no barber's scissors at hand, but, instead, a lamp-wick trimmer—the kind that trims the round wicks. This was utilized by the genial Julius, and when he had finished the job it is doubtful if even Jerry Green or David Lindsay would have known their old comrade had they met him face to face in the street.

The fact is, one side of the moustache was fully one-eighth of an inch longer than the other, but his fellow workmen said nothing, merely smiling when they met "Jule," and left it for Mrs. Kolbohn and the children to advise him on his return home in the evening, which they did with pleasure, despite the fact that they were convulsed with laughter.

ATROCITIES STILL CONTINUE

Reports Say That 7,000 Christians Have Been Slain.

Hearst News Service.

Rome, May 1.—A telegram from Alexandretta, Asia Minor, received here today, reports that the Moslem massacres of Armenians broke out at Iacepede on April 26 and coninued for two days

According to the latest reports, 7,000 were slain.

The Italian cruiser Latakia has taken hundreds of the Armenian refugees aboard, some of whom were starving.

A Living Skeleton

is the final condition of any child that has worms—if it lives. Think of having something in your stomach that eats all you take as nourishment. Nine tenths of the babies have worms, maybe yours has. Be certain that it has not by giving it White's Cream Vermifuge—it expels all worms and is a tonic for the baby. Price 25 cents. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Burial to Be at Ironton.

(From Monday's Daily.)

The funeral of Miss Mary J. Russell, who died Thursday night, was held from the family residence, 400 North Stewart avenue, at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. D. M. Clagett, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church, officiated. The remains were shipped to Ironton, Mo., at 4:30 o'clock last afternoon for interment.

IN TROUBLE IN FRANCE

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has lustrous brown eyes and a carefully curled pompadour.

He speaks in a low cultivated voice that approached effeminacy, and his accent is known as "continental," being neither English nor French, and least of all American.

When he lived here most of his clothes came from Paris, and his silk hats, which always were immaculately ironed, bore the unmistakable mark of the boulevards. His coats ran to one extreme or the other—either they reached to his ankles or ended near his waist line. His "cutaways" were marvels of the extreme cut, and his tie usually a vivid scarlet or royal purple.

At the opera he wore a plaited bosom shirt, soft and fine, and pumps of sheer black with silk socks. His coat was lined with mink of the finest grade. For coaching he has a long coat fastened with saucer buttons and an 1830 beaver hat.

He was the first man to wear yellow chamois gloves with a blue serge suit and a tie of the same canary tint.

His valet had an entire closet given over to embroidered gowns from France.

Flowers are another of this young exquisite's fads. He has them constantly about him. A big silver bowl in the hall of his home always is kept filled with blossoms and they are to be found in almost every room. He never fails to wear a buttoniere of choice exotics, and, as seen today, he even adorns his horse and conveyance with flowers whenever the fancy strikes him.

Hyde liked to give small house parties at "The Oaks." Usually these included two or three women of fashion, a famous actress, an opera singer, or a Parisian journalist.

Among the celebrities who have been his guests at "The Oaks" are Mme. Rejane, Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the Duke and Duchess of Manchester, Jules Huret, of the Paris Figaro, Paul Helleu, Antonio Scotti and Mme. Nordica.

Coaching is one of his absorbing passions and he was acknowledged to be the best four-in-hand driver in America. His private stable was one of the finest in the city.

Maurice Howlett, the celebrated whip, was on Hyde's pay roll.

He Spent Only Small Sum.

J. H. Sullivan, alderman in the Second ward, Saturday filed his expense account with Recorder Morey, which amounted to $21.00.

Welcome Words To Women

If, you are an intelligent thinking woman, in need of relief from weakness, nervousness, pain and suffering, then it means much to you that there is *one* tried and true honest square-deal medicine OF KNOWN COMPOSITION, sold by druggists for the cure of woman's ills. The makers of



Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

for the cure of weak, nervous, run-down, over-worked, debilitated, pain-racked women, knowing this medicine to be made up of ingredients, every one of which has the strongest possible endorsement of the leading and standard authorities of the several schools of practice, are perfectly willing, and in fact, are only too glad to print, as they do, the formula, or list of ingredients, of which it is composed, *in plain English*, on every bottle-wrapper. Is this not a significant fact worthy of careful consideration?

Women use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in preference to all other advocated medicines sold by druggists for their peculiar weaknesses and ailments because it is

***THE ONE REMEDY* which contains no alcohol or habit-forming drugs, is not anything like advertised secret compounds or patent medicines.**

***THE ONE REMEDY* for women devised by a regularly graduated physician of vast experience in woman's ailments and carefully adapted to her delicate organism.**

***THE ONE REMEDY* good enough that its makers are not afraid to print its every ingredient on its outside bottle-wrapper.**

It's foolish—often dangerous to be over-persuaded into accepting a secret nostrum in place of this time proven medicine of KNOWN COMPOSITION. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

FORMER SEDALIAN KILLED

Was Stabbed to Death in St. Louis Friday Last.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

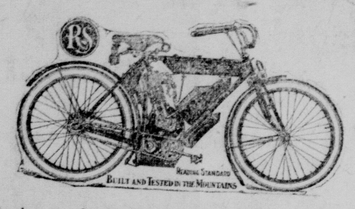
Albert Reid, formerly night clerk at the Antlers hotel and well known in Sedalia, was suddenly killed at St. Louis Friday. His body was shipped to Jefferson City yesterday to be interred by the side of his father.

Reid was about 24 ears of age. According to the information received in this city he died from being stabbed in the head with a screwdriver.

Reid was employed as clerk at the Antlers hotel about two years ago.

BICYCLES

New Stock Just Received



First-class Bicycles and all kinds of supplies. See the "ARMLESS WONDER," on exhibition at our store. Also free exhibition of a remarkable demonstration of human ingenuity and mechanical perfection.

PHONOGRAPHS AND RECORDS—We are the only store in the city with full list of Edison Records; also good line of Victor and Zonophone Records, "Amberol," the new 4-minute Record and attachments. Trade here and save money on Sheet Music, Post Cards and novelties.

KAUFFMAN'S MUSIC STORE

617 OHIO STREET.

Lord and Lady Dalmeny



Cable to the Democrat-Sentinel.
[Hearst News Service.]

London, May 1.—This somewhat remarkable snapshot was taken just as Lord and Lady Dalmeny were leaving the church, after they were married recently at St. Pauls church, Knightsbridge, England. This marriage was one of the great social events of the English season. Lord Dalmeny is the eldest son of the Earl of Rosebery and Lady Dalmeny is the youngest daughter of Lord Henry George Grosvenor.

TRAGIC END OF ROMANCE

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with whom the lawyer had eloped, was informed of Montgomery's presence in town. Crow reached Montgomery's law office about the time the lawyer's wife appeared, with her baby in her arms.

A quarrel ensued and Crow shot and fatally wounded the lawyer. Mrs. Montgomery, after having been discarded by her husband, threw the baby on the floor and grappled with Crow in an effort to save her husband's life. Crow fired a second shot during the scuffle, which ended Montgomery's life.

Interest in the case is intense. It is generally believed the state will fail to obtain a jury that will convict Crow. The girl whom Montgomery induced to leave her home is standing by her brother in his trouble.

Woods' Liver Medicine is a liver regulator which brings quick relief to sick headache, constipation, biliousness and other symptoms of liver disorders. Particularly recommended for jaundice, chills, fever, malaria. The $1 size contains two and one-half times as much as the 50c size. Sold By W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Paralyzed Man Is Better.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

A. P. Johnson, of Sulphur, Ok., who has been confined to a ward at the City hospital for several days, suffering from a stroke of paralysis, showed a marked improvement yesterday and was able to be out.

FOUR LIONS WERE KILLED

THE EX-PRESIDENT REALIZED ONE OF HIS AMBITIONS SATURDAY.

HE KILLED THREE OF THE MONARCHS

Son Kermit Got the Other One on the Third Shot—The Whole Camp Is Rejoicing at the Good Luck Attending the Hunt.

Hearst News Service.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 1.—Four lions are the trophies of ex-President Roosevelt's camp in Mau Hills tonight, and two hundred or more native followers are joining with the American party in celebration of the unusually good luck.

The lions were bagged today, and Col. Roosevelt's mighty gun brought three of them to earth, each on the first shot.

Thus one of the former president's ambitions has been realized, and he is proud, too, that the fourth of the jungle kings fell before the rifle of his son, Kermit, who, however, took three shots to kill his quarry. All the lions were of normal size.

After the natives had dragged them together in the grass they executed their usual dance around the trophies.

The party plans to go south tomorrow in the hope of bagging giraffes.

ARE USING THE SHARPLES

Cream Separator With Merit Sold by Archias Seed Store.

Through the enterprise of Archias' Seed Store the Sharples Tubular Cream Separator has recently been purchased by the following:

Size No. 4, G. L. Moseley, R. 2, Sedalia.

Size No. 4, C. B. Dump, R. 1, Mora.

Size No. 6, J. A. Heck, R. 6, Sedalia.

Size No. 3, Leo Yeater, R. 3, Sedalia.

Size No 3, J. F. Fowler R. 1, Dresden.

Size No. 3, P. G. Stuart, R. 1, Smithton.

Size No. 4, Louis Henner, R. 1, Sedalia.

Size No. 2, C. B. Chryst, R. 3, Sedalia.

Size No. 3, C. Neitzert, R. 6, Sedalia.

Size No. 1, Mrs. P. H. Longan, R. 3, Sedalia.

Size No. 2, Franz Moerschel, R. 3, Sedalia.

Size No. 4, John Dow, dairyman, Sedalia.

Size No. 2, Mrs. G. Schmidt, R. 2, Sedalia.

Nearly one hundred others are using the Sharples in the vicinity of Sedalia.

THE HON. CHAS. E. YEATER

Just Appointed Member of Board of M. S. U. Curators.

The University Missourian, referring to Hon. C. E. Yeater, of Sedalia, the past week appointed by Gov. Hadley as a member of the board of curators of the M. S. U., says:

Charles E. Yeater, practicing lawyer of Sedalia, was graduated from the university with the degree of A. B., in 1880 and the degree of A. M. in 1885.

"While a member of the state senate in 1892 he introduced and obtained the passage of the first collateral inheritance tax law for the benefit of the university. He also introduced a bill for the establishment of a school of journalism at the university.

"Senator Yeater has served on the board of visitors of the university, as president of the Alumni association, and has taken an active interest in university affairs. He was born in Osceola, April 24, 1861. He is married."

SET A DWELLING ON FIRE

The Home of John Bour Damaged to the Extent of $200.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

John Bour's two-story residence, 404 East Fifth street, caught fire at 10:45 o'clock Saturday morning, while painters were engaged in burning paint from the weather-boarding, and was damaged to the extent of $125.

Painters for the Dugan Paint company were at work on the dwelling. At the hour stated, Mrs. Charles Ogle, who occupies apartments on the second floor of the residence, smelt smoke in a rear room.

An alarm was sounded, and but for the prompt work of the fire department the dwelling might have been consumed in flames. The loss is covered by insurance.

Several pieces of household furniture were slightly damaged, entailing a total loss of about $150.

Don't drug the stomach or stimulate the heart or kidneys. That's wrong. It is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Vitalize these weak inside controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and see how quickly good health will come to you again. Test and see! Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

WIFE TALKED IN SLEEP

MURMURED THE NAME OF YOUNG NEPHEW WHO LIVED AT THE HOME.

WAS BEING EDUCATED BY HER HUSBAND

Woman Became Infatuated With Relative, Resulting in His Being Fatally Wounded—Man Also Shot at His Spouse.

Detroit, Mich., May 1.—Dr. G. K. Boyajian, an Armenian, shot and fatally wounded his nephew, Haroton H. Gaspanian, while the latter was being arraigned in police court with the physician's wife on statuatory charge.

Dr. Boyajian then turned the revolver on his wife and fired the two remaining bullets at her. Joseph L. Kraemer, a newspaper artist, saved the woman's life by pushing her into a vacant jury room.

Dr. Boyajian told a remarkable story of his discovery of the alleged relations between his wife and his nephew, whom he had brought from his home at Lynn, Mass., and was educating in a local medical college.

His suspicions were first aroused by hearing his wife murmur his nephew's name in her sleep. The doctor then summoned a lawyer.

They questioned her. He declared that she made a full confession. He then swore out warrants for their arrest.

WESTON, Ocean-to-Ocean WALKER Said recently: "When you feel down and out, feel there is no use living, just take your bad thoughts with you and walk them off. Before you have walked a mile things will look rosier. Just try it." Have you noticed the increase in walking of late in every community? Many attribute it to the comfort which Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes, gives to the millions now using it. As Weston has said, "It has real merit." It cures while you walk. 30,000 testimonials. Order a 25c package today of any Druggist and be ready to forget you have feet. A trial package of Allen's Foot-Ease sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

ELECTRIC LINE TO WARSAW

Road to Run From Kansas City to Memphis, Tennessee.

Messrs. J. Allen Prewett and E. M. Slayton, of Independence, and J. C. Ross, of Chicago, met with the Warsaw Commercial club, and others, last Wednesday night, in discussing the proposition of the proposed electric railway from Kansas City toward Memphis, with Warsaw as a terminus for the first 110 miles, says the Warsaw Enterprise. C. H. Crouch presided, and details were explained at length.

It is necessary to have $110,000 subscribed, and 5 per cent to be paid in, to entitle the railway company to incorporation papers.

Warsaw will be asked for subscriptions to the amount of $10,000. Except for the 5 per cent, none of the balance of subscriptions will be payable until specified work is completed. Mr. Ross, a builder of electric railways, explained how he had built a line 76 miles long in Iowa, and there was only one town at a terminus of 5,000 people, and only towns of 400 or less on the way, while the proposed line had a city of 250,000 as one terminus, and a number of large towns on the way.

A committee was appointed to see what could be done.

The committee had visited Holden, Chilhowee, Windsor and Lincoln and found active interest.

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OBSERVE 'MOTHERS' DAY'

IDEA ORIGINATED WITH MRS. ANNA JARVIS, OF PHILADELPHIA, PA.

SECOND SUNDAY IN MAY IS THE DATE

Annual Custom Is Beautiful Tribute to All Mothers, Living As Well As Dead—A White Flower Is the Emblem.

About three years ago an appreciative daughter desired to commemorate the anniversary of her mother's death.

It was not only the thought of laying some flowers on mother's grave, but it occurred to her that it would be a beautiful tribute to all mothers, the living as well as the dead, if their children, on a given day, would unite in the simple wearing of a white flower and thus make Mother's day universal.

The papers everywhere caught up the idea and in two years it swept over not only all of North America, but was heartily welcomed in other lands. The purpose of Mother's day, as conceived by Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia, U. S. A., with whom it originated, is a day in which all lands as one nation may unite in honor of mother.

The second Sunday of May of each year is proposed as the day when mother is to be specially remembered and universal motherhood exalted in the esteem of every man, woman and child.

The plan is to make it not only a sentimental observance, but as far as possible to clothe it with the sanctity and dynamic power that comes from concerted action.

The wearing of a white carnation or other white flower, the beautiful emblem of truth and purity, will be filial evidence that the wearer loves to honor his mother living, or her memory if dead.

If away from home on this day, write mother a love letter, send her a telegram, use the long distance 'phone, or the special delivery of the postoffice.

The white carnation stands for purity; its form, beauty; its fragrance, love; its wide field of growth, charity; its lasting qualities, faithfulness—all virtues of a true motherhood.

In several American cities the mayors in past years have issued special proclamations indorsing the purpose and recommending the general celebration of the day.

The day has also been marked by the special singing of mother's hymns in the home, and by special services and distribution of white flowers in the Sunday school and at the church, and in other places.

Notice of Appointment of Guardian for Person of Unsound Mind

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri, guardian of the person and estate of Allen G. Mercer, of Pettis county, Missouri, a person of unsound mind, and letters of guardianship have been issue to me, and that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Allen G. Mercer are required to exhibit them for allowance before said probate court within two years from this date or they shall be forever barred.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1909.

H. R. CAMP,
Guardian of the person and estate of Allen G. Mercer, a person of unsound mind.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John U. Meyer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of January, 1909, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executor within one year after the date of said leters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 25th day of January, 1909.

HENRY MEYER, Executor.

Warner Wants Rates Investigated.

Washington, May 3.—In the senate today Senator Warner moved the consideration of his resolution authorizing the Interstate Commerce Commission to investigate the rates of the eight Missouri railroads. Senators Stone, Hale and Elkins objected on the ground that the rule under which the senate is proceeding allows only the tariff and census bills to be considered.

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VEHICLES AND IMPLEMENTS.

Stockholders' Notice.

Notice is hereby given by the directors that a meeting of the stockholders of the Sedalia Undertaking company, a corporation, will be held on Friday, June 4th, 1909, at nine o'clock in the morning, at the office of said company, at No. 120 South Ohio street, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis county, Missouri, and that the objects and purposes of said meeting are to take a vote of said stockholders on the propositions, then and there, to be submitted, to increase the amount of the capital stock of said corporation in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00), so that the capital stock of the said corporation shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00), divided into One Hundred (100) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each. And also to extend the business of said corporation and to provide that in addition to conducting and operating an Undertaking and Embalming establishment in the city of Sedalia and other places, it may engage in the business of buying and selling furniture, carpets and other merchandise of a similar nature at retail. Also to change the name of said corporation from "The Sedalia Undertaking Company" to "The Sedalia Undertaking and Carpet Company." And to take all necessary and proper proceedings to carry out the objects and purposes stated in this notice.

W. E. STALEY,
J. W. MURPHY,
E. R. ANDLER,
B. M. LODGE.
Directors of The Sedalia Undertaking Company.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary I. Perdue, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 16th day of April, 1909, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the administrator within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they may be forever barred.

This 16th day of April, 1909.

E. R. BLAIR,
Administrator.

ManZan Pile Remedy is put up in a tube with a nozzle attached. May be applied directly to the affected parts. Guaranteed. Price 50c. Sold by the W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Order of Publication.

State of Missouri, } ss.
County of Pettis, }

In the probate court for the county of Pettis, February term, 1909.

In the matter of the estate of Frank Vollrath, deceased; Emma M. Vollrath, administratrix.—Order of Publication.

Emma M. Vollrath, administratrix of Frank Vollrath, deceased, presents to the court her petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list and inventories required by law in such case, on examination whereof it is ordered, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be held on the second Monday of May, 1909, next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered, that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis county, this state, for four weeks before the next term of this court.

State of Missouri, } ss.
County of Pettis, }

I, D. E. Kennedy, judge and ex-officio clerk of the probate court, held in and for said county, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original order of publication therein referred to, as the same appears of record in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, done at office in Sedalia, in said county, this twenty-fifth day of March, 1909.

(Seal) D. E. KENNEDY,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk.

New Turkish Cabinet Has Resigned.

Constantinople, May 3.—The new cabinet resigned today, and as a result the political situation is bewildering, no one being able to tell what the outcome will be. This, the latest ministry, was organized April 13.

Be Prepared for Emergencies.

When a cold comes to you—or in your family—or a sudden chill—if you let it alone you are making recovery hard. A teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of hot water or milk will be the thing to save later and greater trouble. This old reliable family remedy sells by millions of bottles annually. 35c. (the new size) and 50c.

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I know it is a delicate subject for a lady to express her troubles to the public, especially for one who has suffered as I have, but I feel so deeply indebted to you and so grateful for the wonderful cure you have performed that I feel it my duty to make known what you have done for me. Some two years ago I began to have severe flooding spells, and nothing I could do gave any permanent relief. I consulted the best physicians here and at Kansas City; all said it was Fibroid Tumor of the Uterus. I was treated at home for a number of months, and afterwards went to Kansas City, and was treated there for some time, but I gradually grew worse, and was told that I would have to submit to an operation. I came home and had lost hope. I was so weak that I could do nothing; but as a last resort I consulted you, and when you told me you could cure me without an operation or the use of a knife, I was so impressed with your assurances that I immediately began treatment and I am certainly overjoyed and more than thankful, for you have done all you said you could, and my tumor has entirely disappeared. I feel like a new person. It will always be a pleasure to me to answer all correspondence from those who suffer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins are a very estimable couple, residing near Ashland, Mo. Mr. Jenkins is a large land owner and extensively engages in farming. They have the respect and confidence of all who know them, and stand high in the community in which they reside. Mrs Jenkins came to us some months ago suffering from all the early symptoms of Tuberculosis, combined with Female weakness, which, if unchecked, the inevitable result would have been only the matter of a short time, as her father had recently died from that terrible disease, Consumption. She was immediately placed upon our Inhalatorium Treatment, combined with our Painless, Bloodless Surgery Treatment for weak women, all of which is a part of our Modern Americanized European Method, and we are more than pleased to say that we were able to arrest the progress of her disease and she is now out of danger. Mrs. Jenkins expresses much gratitude for what has been done for her.

The Dr. Camp Medical Co. Gentlemen:

I feel it my duty to express to you my great appreciation for what your Wonderful Inahlatorium Treatment has done in my case, for I know that you have saved my life.

Consumption runs in our family and I was certainly in a bad way when I came to you. You are certainly specialists of great skill and have the only certain cure for lung diseases.

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Mr. and Mrs. Snapp are highly respected and influential couple of Northeast Pettis county, residing near Nelson, Mo. Mr. Snapp is one of our solid, substantial, industrious citizens whose word is as good as his bond, and everybody respects. His wife came to us some months ago, suffering from an aggravated case of female weakness, complicated with fibroid tumor of the womb. Being the mother of a large family of small children, she was in a deplorable condition—weak, nervous, in constant pain and all run down with a profuse discharge, but we are pleased to say that by our Modern Americanized, European Method of Painless, Bloodless Surgery Treatment for female diseases, we were able to overcome her disease and all her troubles are about over.

Dr. Camp Medical Co. Gentlemen:

The above is a true and accurate history of my wife's condition, and I am very thankful for what you have done for her. She had suffered so long without getting any relief that it is a great pleasure for me to recommend your New System of Treatment to all anxious husbands. Yours very truly,

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People come to us from all over the United States to avail themselves of this remarkable cure and to show what we can do, we herewith present a few of our most extraordinary cases for the consideration of all sufferers. By these wonderful Methods, if you come to us in time, you can be cured absolutely and permanently without pain, operation or the use of the knife.

All malignant Growths, Cancer, Tumor, Goitre, Piles, Fistula, Hemorrhoids, Ovarian and Uterine Tumor all readily yield to the influence of our advanced methods.

THE MEN WHO MAKE BEER

UNITED STATES BREWERS' ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT ATLANTIC CITY.

DEEP INTEREST IN THE PROCEEDINGS

Prohibition, Which Has Made Such Remarkable Headway the Past Few Years, Will Be Theme of Discussion.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 1.— The forty-ninth annual convention of the United States Brewers' association will be held at the Hotel Shelburne, Atlantic City, on June 1, 2 and 3.

The association represents in its membership about 75 per cent of the output of the brewsrs of this country, and leading men from every state in the Union will attend the gathering.

Prohibition, which has made such headway in the last few years, will be discussed in all its phases, not only by men in the trade, but also from the laymen's standpoint, and with this end in view an elaborate program is now being arranged.

A number of well known speakers have been asked to address the convention on this and kindred subjects, and on account of the importance that attaches to this problem of the day, the convention proceedings will be watched with a great deal of interest.

In accordance with the plan which was so successfully adopted at the convention at Milwaukee last year, there will be one or two public meetings which will be addressed by men of the highest professional standing, who will be invited to discuss some of the phases of the saloon problem and brewing business from the standpoint of the community.

The brewers' side of the case will also be given by men within the ranks, who will set forth the results of good and bad license legislation, and pobably indicate the extent to which saloon regulation is related to the general problem of efficiency in municipal government.

It will be shown that ax legislation induces over-competition in the saloo business, and that over-competition invites political graft and police corruption.

The efforts of the brewers to correct saloon evils in New York, Ohio, Wisconsin and other states, where results have been accomplished during the year, will be explained by men who have actual knowledge of the local conditions.

Matters of purely trade interest and concern will be relegated to the executive session of the conference. The other meetings are open to the press, and there will be at least one meeting to which the general public will be invited.

The cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made is Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. It is fine in flavor, and is made in just one minute. No tedious twenty or thirty minutes' boiling. Made from pure parched grains, malt, nuts, etc. Sold by J. R. Williams.

No Meeting Was Held.

The regular meeting of the Old Settlers' association was cancelled Saturday, owing to the fact that no quorum could be secured.

PASTOR LEFT SOULMATE

KENTUCKY DIVINE DESERTED HER IN ST. LOUIS WITHOUT A PENNY.

AND THE SCOUNDREL HAD SUM OF $260

Paid His Attorney, Jammed the Remainder into His Pocket and Then Hurriedly Departed From Police Station.

St. Louis, Mo., May 1.—The Rev. Perry R. Campbell, of Stamping Ground, Ky., who was arrested Wednesday night at 2316 Washington avenue with Josephine Hosley, 19 years old, was released Friday by the police, as no one appeared to prosecute him, and the minister left the police station without asking one word for his girl companion, who is still held, without money or friends.

The police of Stamping Ground have signified their intention of not coming to St. Louis for Campbell. He had retained Attorney Howard Sidener to appear for him, and when he was released Sidener was with him. The police handed him $260, which belonged to him, and his suit case.

Rev. Campbell handed Sidener his fee, and, stuffing the rest of the money into his pocket, took his suit case and left the station. He did not ask for Miss Hosley.

Miss Hosley is being cared for by the matron, until the police can communicate with her parents in an endeavor to get them to send for her.

Her suitor in Kentucky betrayed the preacher, who has a wife and child.

BURIAL OF MISS GIBBS

Interment Took Place In Crown Hill Cemetery.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

The last sad rites in memory of Miss Lucia Mabel Gibbs, whose sudden death last Thursday afternoon caused sincere regret on the part of every acquaintance, were conducted in the presence of a large concourse of friends at the First Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The pastor, the Rev. Frank Y. Campbell, assisted by the Rev. Dudley M. Clagett, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church, conducted the services, and in the eulogizing of the beloved dead by the divines, tears were noticed in the eyes of many.

The floral offerings, which covered the casket, were pretty and noticeable, and furnished slight proof of the admiration which every one held for the dead girl.

The chorus choir, under the direction of Miss Florence Lamy, rendered these selections: "Refuge," "Shall We Meet Beyond the River?" and "Some Sweet Day, By and By."

After the services at the church the remains, escorted by a large assemblage of friends, were conveyed to Crown Hill cemetery, where interment was made.

The pallbearers were: Roy Lange, W. D. O'Bannon, George Ware, Edwin Scott, Arthur Friemel and Homer Poundstone.

STUDENTS VOTED ILLEGALLY

"Wets" File Affidavits Against Purdue Men, Who Voted "Dry."

Indianapolis, Ind., May 1.—By an unofficial majority of 768, Tippecanoe county yesterday voted "wet" in the county election. Jefferson, Martin and Washington counties voted "dry."

The election in Lafayette, Tippecanoe county, was marked by the filing of affidavits against forty-seven students of Purdue university, charging them with illegal voting.

The greater part of the student vote was "dry" and the "drys" carried West Lafayette, where the university is located, by 831. Lafayette proper voted "wet" by 2,504.

Jefferson county voted "dry" by 54 majority; Martin by 399 and Washington by 1,285. Washington county was previously "dry" by remonstrance.

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Volcano on White Island Erupts.

Hearst News Service.

Wellinton, N. Z., May 1.—A terrific eruption of a volcano on White island has occurred and is believed to be the precursor of an earthquake.

Smoke and flame from the crater are visible for thirty miles in all directions.

IT WILL BE A RARE TREAT

The Lecture of Dr. J. N. McCormick, Here on May 11.

Through the efforts of the American Medical association and the co-operation of the Pettis County Medical society a rare treat is planned for the citizens of Sedalia.

The American Medical association is sending Dr. J. N. McCormick, a doctor of national reputation, looked upon as one of the greatest speakers in the medical profession, all over the United States to deliver addresses to the people. The Pettis County Medical society has been fortunate in securing one of these dates.

Dr. McCormick will be here May 11, and will deliver an address at the court house at 8 p. m.

We are assured that this is not to be a dry, technical talk that no one but doctors can understand, but it is to be a talk to laymen on disease, its prevention and other things that every man and woman should know.

An invitation to hear this address is extended by the Pettis County Medical society to everybody.

KISSED THE OFFICE BOY

Now Several Pretty Stenographers Have the Measles.

Trenton, N. J., May 1.—Kissing, hugging and other exhibits of affection for a cute office boy have resulted in an epidemic of measles among the young women and girls at the New Jersey state capitol.

Ten pretty stenographers are off duty, as are also three male heads of departments.

Leo McCauley, 13 years old, chief of the office boys of the secretary of state's office, is suffering from a severe case of measles, and the cause of the epidemic has been traced to him.

All the other girl stenographers and clerks at the capitol who have been in the habit of affectionately showing their friendliness for Leo, but who have not as yet fallen victims to the malady, are in a state of consternation, fearing the worst.

Laid to Rest in Crown Hill.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

The body of the four-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenton Pope, the latter formerly Miss Mary Glass, of this city, who died at her parents' home in Chicago on January 12, last, arrived in Sedalia Friday night, and was interred in the Glass burial lot in the Catholic cemetery at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, there being no services.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Pope, neither she nor Mr. Pope accompanied the remains here, all preparations for the burial having been made by relatives in this city.

BOYLE MAY NEVER BE TRIED

Alleged Kidnaper Collapses and Condition Is Critical.

Mercer, Pa., Ma 1.—James H. Boyle, whose trial on a charge of kidnaping "Billy" Whitla was yesterday continued until next Wednesday, collapsed late yesterday in the Mercer jail, and tonight is said to be in a critical condition.

Boyle's system has been weakened by inability to hold anything upon his stomach, and the postponement of his trial had a bad effect.

Ball Club Passed Through City.

The members of the Oklahoma Indians baseball team, under the direction of Manager Herbert, passed through Sedalia Saturday afternoon, en route to Jefferson City to play today. They took supper at E. C. McGurren's restaurant. They will return here tonight on their way to Cole Camp, where they play tomorrow afternoon.

MAY VOTE ON JULY FIRST

FINAL ACTION ON TARIFF BILL IS TO OCCUR AT THAT TIME.

IF PLANS OF PAYNE DON'T MISCARRY

It Is Said That Enough Pledges Have Been Secured to Make the Matter Almost Certain at That Time.

Washington, Moy 1.—Chairman Payne, of the ways and means committee, will ask the house next Thursday to agree upon a rule fixing July 1 as the date for taking the final vote on the tariff bill.

It is asserted by the house leaders that they have already secured enough pledges in favor of the rule from members from the Atlantic coast, Gulf and Pacific coast states, democrats as well as republicans, to insure its passage.

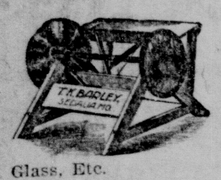
This means that the senate and house leaders have agreed that the bill will be ready for final passage on that date.

If no slip occurs thereafter the new tariff bill will be on the statute rolls by July 4, provided, always, that the bill meets the approval of President Taft.

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